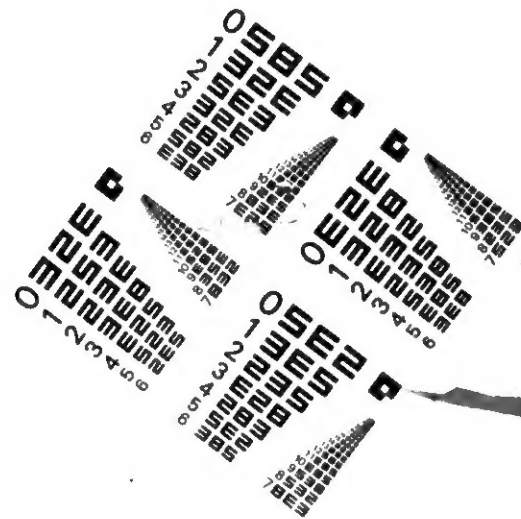
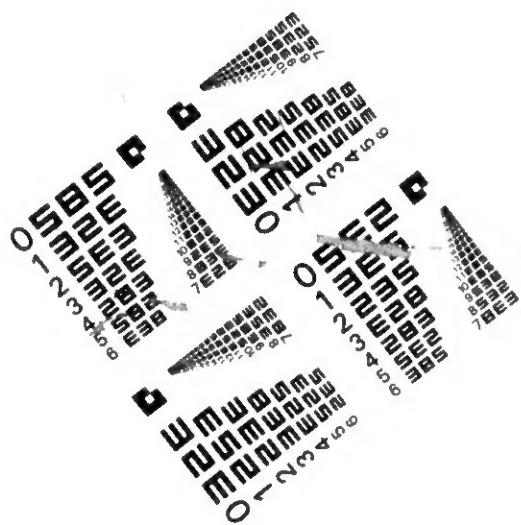


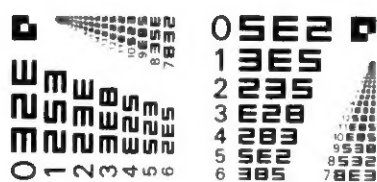
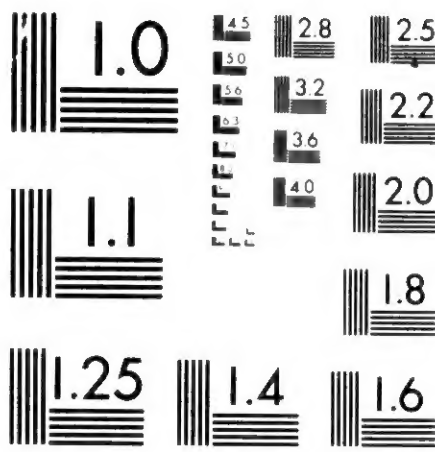
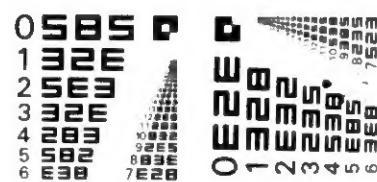
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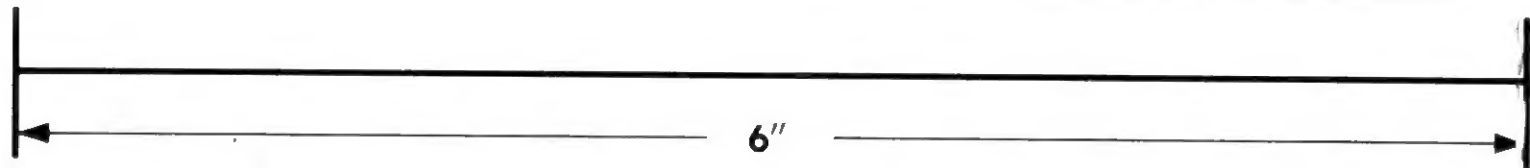
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EASTERN CHEROKEE

APPLICATIONS OF THE

U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS

1906-1909

Roll 178

Application Nos. 20301-20450

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INTRODUCTION

On the 348 rolls of this microfilm publication are reproduced the applications submitted for shares of the money that was appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Congress on June 30, 1906. The Eastern Cherokee applications, August 29, 1906-May 26, 1909, are part of the Guion Miller Enrollment Records that are among the records of the U.S. Court of Claims. This publication also includes a general index to Eastern Cherokee applications (two vols.).

History

Before the U.S. Court of Claims was established in 1855 there was no procedure by which claims arising against the U.S. Government could be enforced by suit. Consideration of claims was provided for when the Treasury Department was established in 1789; later acts of the Congress authorized the Department to settle all claims by or against the Government. If a claim was rejected by the Treasury Department, the claimant's only course of action was to appeal directly to the Congress. Petitions to that body for relief had become so numerous by the middle of the 19th century that the Congress was beginning to find it impossible to make the proper and necessary investigations for actions on the claims.

The U.S. Court of Claims was established by an act of February 24, 1855, to hear claims against the United States including those referred to the court by the Congress, based on any law of the Congress, any regulation of an executive department, or any contract with the Government, whether explicit or implied. Under this act the court served only as a factfinding agency, and its conclusions were submitted to the Congress for approval and for the granting of awards. In 1863 the Congress enlarged the court's jurisdiction and gave it authority to render judgments against the Government, with the right of appeal to the Supreme Court. An act of 1925 abolished appeals from the Court of Claims to the Supreme Court and substituted writs of certiorari.

An act approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat. 726), gave the Court of Claims jurisdiction over any claim arising under treaty stipulations that the Cherokee Tribe, or any band thereof, might have against the United States and over any claims that the United States might have against any Cherokee Tribe or band. Suit for such a claim was to be instituted within 2 years after the act was approved. As a result, three suits were brought before the court concerning grievances arising out of the treaties:

(1) *The Cherokee Nation v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23199; (2) *The Eastern and Emigrant Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23212; and (3) *The Eastern Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23214.

On May 18, 1905, the court decided in favor of the Eastern Cherokees and instructed the Secretary of the Interior to identify the persons entitled to participate in the distribution of funds for payment of the claims. On June 30, 1906, the Congress appropriated more than \$1 million for this purpose. The task of compiling a roll of eligible persons was begun by Guion Miller, special agent of the Interior Department. In a decree of April 29, 1907, the court (1) vacated that part of its earlier decision that had given the Secretary of the Interior responsibility for determining the eligibility of claimants and (2) appointed Miller as a special commissioner of the Court of Claims.

The same decree also provided that the fund was to be distributed to all Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians who were alive on May 28, 1906, who could establish the fact that at the time of the treaties they were members of the Eastern Cherokee Tribe or were descendants of such persons, and that they had not been affiliated with any tribe of Indians other than the Eastern Cherokee or the Cherokee Nation. The decree further provided that claimants should already have applications on file with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, or should file such applications with the special commissioner of the Court of Claims on or before August 31, 1907. Additionally, applications for minors and persons of unsound mind were to be filed by their parents or persons having their care and custody, and applications for persons who had died after May 28, 1906, were to be filed by their children or legal representatives.

In his report of May 28, 1909, Miller stated that 45,847 separate applications had been filed, representing a total of about 90,000 individual claimants, 30,254 of whom were enrolled as entitled to share in the fund--3,203 residing east and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi River. On June 10, 1909, the court confirmed and approved the roll, submitted by Miller in his report, of Eastern Cherokees who were entitled to a share of the fund except "so much as shall be expected (excepted) to on or before August 30, 1909." After the exceptions had been filed and investigated, Miller submitted a supplemental report and roll to the court on January 5, 1910. In this report he stated that about 11,750 exceptions had been made, that the names of 610 persons (238 east and 372 west of the Mississippi) had been added to the roll, and that the names of 44 persons (5 east and 39 west of the Mississippi) had been stricken from the roll because clerical errors in enrollment had been discovered. Thus the final figure on the total number of persons entitled to share in the fund was 30,820, of which 3,436 persons

resided east and 27,384 resided west of the Mississippi River. On March 15, 1910, the court finally decreed that the rolls be approved and that, after certain deductions for expenditures, payments were to be made equally among the Eastern Cherokees who were enrolled. The court also authorized the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a warrant in favor of each person.

In certifying the eligibility of the Cherokees, Miller used earlier census lists and rolls that had been made of the Cherokees by Hester, Chapman, Drennen, and others between 1835 and 1884. Copies of some of these rolls and the indexes to them are filed with the Miller records (filmed as M685). Other enrollment records used by Miller are among the classified subject files of the Bureau and are designated as "33931-11-053 Cherokee Nation."

Records

The applications contain sworn evidences of identity and were filed with the Interior Department's Office of Indian Affairs until April 29, 1907 (the last application was No. 22268), after which the applications were filed directly with the court. The application required each claimant to state fully his or her English and Indian names, residence, age, place of birth, name of husband or wife, name of tribe, and names of children. It further required the English and Indian names of the claimant's parents and grandparents, place of their birth, place of their residence in 1851 if they were living at that time, dates of their death, and a statement as to whether any of them had ever before been enrolled as Indians for annuities or other benefits and, if so, with what tribe. Each claimant was also to furnish the names of all brothers and sisters, with their ages and residences, and the names and residences of all uncles and aunts. Applications were required to be made under oath and to be supported by affidavits of two witnesses who were well acquainted with the applicant. With each application is a card showing final action taken and the reasons therefore. Filed with many of the applications are inquiries concerning the status of the cases, requests for further evidence, protests about unfavorable actions, form letters that had been sent by the special commissioner to the applicants as notices of rejection of their applications and returned by the Post Office Department as unclaimed, affidavits and statements of witnesses, powers of attorney, and last wills and testaments. The applications are arranged by the number assigned at the time the application was received. There are some gaps in the application numbers; these are explained on insert sheets at the appropriate places on the film. The index is arranged alphabetically by name (either English or Indian) of claimant.

Many of the files contain a cross-reference card to other applications. This cross-reference card often refers to the EX file, the report on exceptions filed by Miller on January 5, 1910.

Related Records

The records reproduced in this microfilm publication are part of the records in the custody of the National Archives and Records Service (NARS) designated as Records of the U.S. Court of Claims, Record Group (RG) 123. Among related records in this record group are additional records relating to Miller's enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees. These include receipts for Treasury warrants and miscellaneous correspondence, 1906-11. The original of these records is in RG 123; a copy is in RG 75.

Some related records in Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, RG 75, have been reproduced as NARS Microfilm Publication T496, *Census Roll, 1835, of the Cherokee Indians East of the Mississippi and Index to the Roll*. Also in RG 75 are the classified subject files of the Bureau.

Records Relating to Enrollment of Eastern Cherokees by Guion Miller, 1908-10, M685, contains the general index to Eastern Cherokee applications, 2 volumes; the report submitted by Guion Miller, May 28, 1909, 10 volumes; the roll of Eastern Cherokees, May 28, 1909; the report on exceptions filed, January 5, 1910; the supplemental roll of Eastern Cherokees, January 5, 1910; transcripts of testimony, February, 1908-March 1909, 10 volumes; various indexes and rolls of Eastern Cherokee Indians, 1851, 1854, and 1884; and miscellaneous notes and drafts.

Additional records relating to the enrollment of Eastern Cherokee Indians are in Records of the Office of the Secretary of the Interior, Record Group 48.

These records were prepared for filming by Jestine Turner and William D. Grover, who also prepared these introductory remarks.

No. 20301

Action:

Reject

Name

Sarah Woods

and

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children.

Residence:

{ 3157 Bell Street,
Kansas City, Mo

Reasons:

Cousin of #1171, and claims through the
same ancestors.

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No 20301
March 27 1871
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Woods

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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CHESTER HOWE. CITY

25301

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Sarah Woods
Indian name: unknown
2. Residence: #3157 Bell Street Kansas City Mo
3. Town and post office: Kansas City
4. County: Jackson
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: (40 years old) Jan'y 3rd 1867 Solar Kansas
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother ~~be~~ Annchya Edmondes now Loeche who is a daughter of my grand mother Clarissa J. Loeless who is a daughter of Ann Shubblefusa Semgg Parker
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: John Woods, age 42 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: John Edmondes
Indian name: unknown
Mother—English name: Anna Eliza Edmondes
Indian name: unknown
Maiden name: Anna Eliza Horrell
11. Where were they born?
Father: Illinois
Mother: Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Illinois
Mother: Missouri
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: March 19th 1875 Mother: still living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? if so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Emerson Tate 1/2 Bro	1861	Living
(2)	Ada Loyd	1869	"
(3)	Marion Nichols	1877	"
(4)	John Edmonds	1878	1903 dead
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Edmonds	Clara J. Herrell
Indian name not known	now " Goodies
Edmonds	Emerson Herrell
Indian name not known	Indian name unknown

17. Where were they born? Grandfather + mother father Edmonds were born in Ill.
Clara J. Herrell in Missouri + Emerson Herrell born in Tenn.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Carthage Mo
Both Edmonds lived in Ill. + both Herrells in Carthage Jasper Co. Mo.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Ana Liza Louisa</u>	Indian name: <u>not known</u>	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Sarah Herrell</u>	Indian name: <u>not known</u>	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Sarah Herrell</u>	Indian name: <u>not known</u>	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Mary Ann Herrell</u>	Indian name: <u>not known</u>	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(5)	English name: <u>James Herrell</u>	Indian name: <u>not known</u>	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

(4) John Edmonds 1873 1903 dead

(5) _____
(6) _____

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

17. Where were they born? Edmonds born in Ill.

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time? Edmonds born in Ill.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: John Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

Residence: Edmonds

(2) English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

Residence: Edmonds

(3) English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

Residence: Edmonds

(4) English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

Residence: Edmonds

(5) English name: Edmonds

Indian name: Edmonds

Residence: Edmonds

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

My Minor Child

above are all children of Clarissa J. Kerrell

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Clarissa.

Lovelass and her mother Ann Stebbins
Sengge Parker

My mother is Annaliza Leach formerly Edmonds and
her mother is the one named Clarissa Lovelass

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Great
my Grandmother Ann Stebbins -
Sengge Parker was admitted by the
Davis Commission in 1896 Roll No
30824.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Sarah Woods

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16" day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

May 2", 1908

Grable H. Huvall

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. L. Evans and
Rosa Reinhardt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Woods, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 19 years and 5 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

S. L. Evans

Rosa Reinhardt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16" day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

May 2", 1908

Grable H. Huvall

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Carla S. Parker
Alex. Parker
12th day of *July*, 1907.
Gracie H. Skidall
Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

My commission expires *May 2nd*, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. *20301*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Woods

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 31 1907
No.

CHESTER HOWE
ATTORNEY,
WASH., LOAN & TRUST
WASHINGTON, D. C.

X write as on form card

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this

be made part of my original application No. 20301 +

1. State your full name: Sarah Woods
2. Residence and post office: 3157 Bell St Kansas City
3. County: Jackson
4. State: Missouri
5. Date and place of birth: Iola Kansas, January 3-1867
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John Woods, age 42 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Frank Harman	19 yrs	July 17-1888
(2)	Child by a former marriage		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never enrolled

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sarah Woods

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

12

day of

July

1907.

Grable W. Kinnell

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 2

1908.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Emilia J. Parker and Alex Parker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Woods who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the child children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Emilia J. Parker
Alex Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of July, 1907.
Gracie H. Huvall
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 2, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20301

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Woods

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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CHESTER HOWE
ATTORNEY,
WASH. LOAN & TRUST
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Rosedale Kansas.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs
I am in receipt of a card bearing
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filed for participation for my self
in the fund arising from the
judgement of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokee.
I would beg to ask if the Claim of
my Sister Mrs Sarah Woods of
3157 Bell St Kansas City Mo has
been filed She made application the
same time I applied but has received
no Card bearing the Application No-
Enclosed please find stamped envelope
for return mail

Please Address
Clarissa Nichols 509 West 36th St
Rosedale Kansas.

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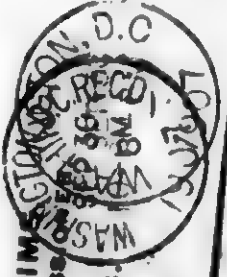
Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir

I made application for
Participation in the fund
arising from the judgment
of the Court of Claims in
favor of the Eastern Cherokee
last July for my minor son
Frank Harman (By a former
marriage) But have never
received a card stating that
his claim has been filed.
I am in receipt of a card stating
that my claim has been filed
as Application No 20301

Very Respectfully Sarah Woods
3157 Bell St Kansas City Mo.

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Charles Howard
315-17th St
Randall City, Mo.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
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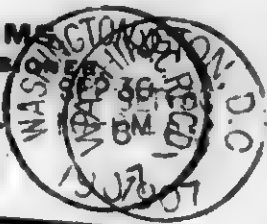
Washington, D. C., 9/30, 1907

Receipt of your supplemental application on behalf of your minor children for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed with your original application, No. 20301, with which it will be considered.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,
Special Commissioner.

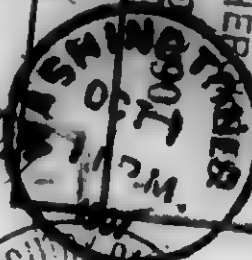
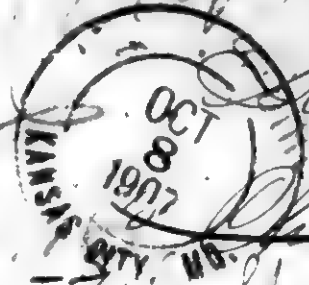
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WASHINGTON, D. C.



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COURT OF CLAIMS
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Frank Wood
Philetus Howe
3.50
Kansas City, Mo.



No. 20302

Action: *Reject*

Name *Gertrude Carroll* and — children. Residence: *Webb City, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #1171, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

1st Court, and re
moved of 1171
No. 20302

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John C. ...

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20302

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Birtud Carroll

Indian name:

unknown

2. Residence:

Webb City Mo

3. Town and post office:

Webb City Mo

4. County:

Jasper

5. State:

Mo

6. Date and place of birth:

Jasper Mo Sept 22 1876

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother

Miza Ambrose who is a daughter of Clarin J. Dewler who is a daughter of Ann Parker. Ann Parker's maiden name was Stubblefield later married Scruggston Parker

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

James C. Carroll

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Safayet Ambrose

Indian name:

V

Mother—English name:

Miza Ambrose

Indian name:

V

Maiden name:

Miza Herrell

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Born Tennessee

Mother:

" Missouri

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Not Born

Mother:

" "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Died July 22 1896

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Fred Ambrose	1878	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
Unknown		Emerson Herrell	
Unknown		Clarissa Louisa First Herrell	

17. Where were they born? *E. Minton Herrell Born Russellville Tennessee*
Charles J. Leavelle First Man Herrell Born Jefferson City mo

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Carthage mo*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Bartholomew

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Louis Herrell

Indian name: _____

Residence: Frederick OK

(2) English name: Elin Oresch

Indian name: _____

Residence: Kendrick town Mo

(3) English name: James Birrell

Indian name: _____

Residence: Leathrop mo

(4) English name: Ming Rinfart

Indian name: _____

Residence: Kenilworth, N.J.

(5) English name: Leucospermum

Indian name: _____

Residence: Carthage Mo

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

My ~~minna~~ child } Creta-Carroll }
8 months old }

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Charles Loveless
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State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S BIDE

MOTHER'S SMILE

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Emericella herveyi

17. Where were they born? *Emilia Kendall Born Quindaro Mo. Territory*

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time? *Southey Ave*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of death:

(1) English name: Louis Howell

Indian name:

Residence: Swadlow Dr

(2) English name: Erica To much

Indian name:

Residence: Herndon town Mass

(3) English name: James Howell

Indian name:

Residence: Sealth Ave

(4) English name: Mary Quint

Indian name:

Residence: Leesburg, Va.

(5) English name: Deborah Kintle

Indian name:

Residence: Leathway Ave

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *me*

My Guinea } Breta Carroll }
Child { 8 months old }

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

My Grand
mother Clarissa J. Lovell first married Emanuel
Hersell later married J. Lovell who was born in
Jefferson City Mo in 1829 My Great Grand
mother was born in 1811 in East Tennessee
and admitted a citizen of Cherokee nation in 1896

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My mother Miss Rinkhart is a daughter of
Clarissa J. Lovell whose maiden name was Scruggs.
She is a daughter of Ann Parker whose maiden
name was Ann Stubblefield who was admitted to
the Cherokee Roll in 1896 her Roll no is 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Gertie Carroll

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. M. Wallingford and
Geo. Ruffner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Gertie Carroll, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 15 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford

Geo. Ruffner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20303

Name Clarissa J. Lovelass

With No. 1170

Remarks:

File

No. 20304

Action: Reject

Name: Rosa Mathews and — children. Residence: Carthage, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 1171, and claims through the same ancestors.

20304

Rosa Mathews
1st class, once re-
No. 20304
moved of 1171.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Rosa Mathews

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20304

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Rosa Mathews

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Barthage Mo

3. Town and post office:

Barthage

4. County:

Jasper

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

Barthage Mo Sept 25th 1869

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Through my mother
Lucy Hinkle who is a daughter of my Grand
mother, Clarissa J. Hinkle who is a daughter
Ann Stubblefield - Scruggs - Parker.

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

H. B. Selders Mathews

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Daniel Hinkle

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Lucy Hinkle

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Lucy Mossall

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Illinois

Mother:

Barthage Mo

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Iowa

Mother:

Barthage Mo

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	John H. Hurrell	1872	Living
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
John H. Hurrell	Blansett Hurrell
Reynolds Hurrell	Emerson Hurrell

17. Where were they born? Illinois and Tenn + Mo

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hindles & sided in Illinois, Hurrell in Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Eliza Hurrell</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Hendricks Tenn Mo</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Levin Hurrell</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Franklin OK</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Lucy Hurrell</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Barthage Mo</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Miza Rinehart</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Barthage Mo</u>
(5)	English name: <u>James Hurrell</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Barthage Mo</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

Minor child
Ray 26 months
age 10 years

Harley Hurrell 1/2 Mo
Barthage Mo
Levin Hurrell 1/2 Mo
James Hurrell 1/2 Mo

(5)

(b)

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

FATHER'S SIDE		MOTHER'S SIDE	
Robert Henry Sturges	John Henry Sturges	John Henry Sturges	John Henry Sturges
John Henry Sturges	John Henry Sturges	John Henry Sturges	John Henry Sturges

17. Where were they born? *Memphis and Tenn & Mo*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Wentworth & school in Denmark, Howell was Mrs*

18. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name: *Anna Howell*

Indian name

Residence:

Residence: _____
(3) English name: Franchet Cat
Indian name: Lucy Horvath

Indian name:

Residence:

Residence: Leantap mas
(4) English name: Mrs. Sumhat

Indian name:

Residence:

Residence: _____
(5) English name: *James Stewart*
Indian name: _____

Indian name

Residence: South ave 7mo

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

Minor Child
Ray 36 Matthews
age 10 years

1/2 Larders 1/2 Bro
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 Larders 1/2 Bro
 Larders 1/2 Bro

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Blanssai J*

Lovels and her mother Ann Stubblefield
- Sanggo. Parker was born 1811 in
Tennessee and was admitted to citizenship
in Cherokee Nation in 1896

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Made application before the Daws Commission
for admission in 1896 for land and rejected
my Grand Mother Ann Stubblefield Sanggo
Parker was admitted by Daws Commission
in 1896 Roll No 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Rosa Mathews*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. M. Wallingford* and
Mrs. Ruffner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Rosa Mathews*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *17* years and *15* years,
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* to be, and
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford
Mrs. Ruffner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 20305

Action: *Reject*

Name *John W. Hinkle* and — children. Residence: *Carthage, Mo.*

Reasons:

Cousin of # 1171, and claims through the same ancestors.

20305

1" case, once re-
moved of 1171
No. 20305

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John W. Hinkle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
May 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

1. MAR 30 1907

No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20305

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: John W. Henkle
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Barthage Mo
3. Town and post office: Barthage
4. County: Jasper
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: Sept 23rd 1872 Barthage Mo
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately through my mother
Lucy Henkle who is a daughter of my grand
mother Leliana J. Lovess who is a daughter
of Ann Stubblefield Scruggs Parker
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Henkle
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Daniel Henkle
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Lucy Henkle
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Lucy Merrill
11. Where were they born?
Father: Illinois
Mother: Mo
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Iowa
Mother: Barthage Mo
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: _____ Mother: _____

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Rosa Mathews	1869	Living
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
John H. H. H.	Martha H. H. H.
Lynetta H. H. H.	" " "
	Emerson H. H. H.

17. Where were they born? Illinois and Iowa & Mo

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Humble resided in Illinois H. H. H. in Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Elena H. H.
Indian name:	
Residence:	Fredericktown Mo
(2) English name:	Lewis H. H.
Indian name:	
Residence:	Fredericktown Mo
(3) English name:	Lacey H. H.
Indian name:	
Residence:	Fredericktown Mo
(4) English name:	Mary H. H.
Indian name:	
Residence:	Fredericktown Mo
(5) English name:	James H. H.
Indian name:	James H. H.
Residence:	Fredericktown Mo

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

(6)

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

Schulkin Mm
Loyutha Mm

Manma Mm
" Lommas
Lulama Mm

17. Where were they born?

Almanai and Almanai - Mm

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

in Almanai Mm
Mm Mm

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Olga Lommas
Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name: Lulama Mm
Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name: Lulama Mm
Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: Lulama Mm
Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name: Lulama Mm
Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

Charby Lommas Mm
Lulama Mm
Lulama Mm
Lulama Mm

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *James Serran and his mother Anna Stubbled-Semgg - Parker.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Made an application before the Daws Commission for admission in 1896 for land and rights my Grand Mother Anna Stubbled-Semgg - Parker was admitted by Daws Commission in 1896 Roll No 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John M. Hindb.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. M. Wallingford* and *Geo. R. Ruffin*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John W. Homick*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *17* years and *15* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford
Geo. R. Ruffin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 9 1909
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Garthage, Mo.
April 5th 09

Sir

I hope you will
pardon me for taking a
little of your time, You
wrote me some time ago
you would give me all the
information you could in
regard to the settlement
of the Eastern Cherokee
I would like to know how
much land they will get
if any at all. I believe there
is land for all and will
the land be settled when
the money is paid or will
we have to apply for our

Send separately, If so
who will we have to send
our papers to at Washington
about what time do you
think this Business
will be settled
Thanking you for all
the information you may
Give.

Very Respectfully

J. W. Dinkie

227 North Meridian

No. 203

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Barthage Mo

May 29 1907

Commissioner of Indian
Affairs.

Washington City D.C.

Dear Sir

I forwarded my application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. At the same time as claim No 20,315 was mailed.

Please let me know whether my application has been received.

Respectfully Yours
John H. Hinkle

Address.

John H. Hinkle

No 312. Lincoln St

Barthage

Mo

attn

No. 20306

Action: Reject

Name Ida Loyd and — children. Residence: Carthage, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 1171, and claims through the same ancestor.

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moved of 1171
No. 20306

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Ida Loyd

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1900, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20306

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Ida Lloyd.*

Indian name: *unknown*

2. Residence: *Kendrick town Mo. via Carthage*

3. Town and post office: *Carthage*

4. County: *Jasper*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *Arkansas*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Through my mother*

Eliza Cruch and her mother my Grand
mother C. J. Larkins who is a Daughter of
Ann Parker who lived in Carthage in 1851
Ann Parker my Grand^{Great}mother was enrolled in 1896

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sammy Lloyd Husband 40 years old*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John Edmonds son of David*

Indian name: *V*

Mother—English name: *Eliza Edmonds later Cruch*

Indian name: *V*

Maiden name: *Eliza Herrell*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Illinois*

Mother: *Pike Co Missouri*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Illinois*

Mother: *Carthage*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Died March 1875* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Emerson	Feb 21	Bro Born 1861
(2)	Sarah Wood	Sister	11 1867
(3)	Clarisa Nichols	Sister	11 1878
(4)	John Edmonds	Brother	Died Aug 1st 1903
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Unknown	Emerson Herrell
	Clarisa Loveless
	First Clarisa Herrell

17. Where were they born? Grand Father Born Tennessee
Grand Mother Jefferson City Mo

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lived in Carthage Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Louis Herrell</u>
	Indian name: <u>Unknown</u>
	Residence: <u>Tiredick Oklahoma</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Lucy Hinkle</u>
	Indian name: <u></u>
	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Miza Pinkert</u>
	Indian name: <u></u>
	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(4)	English name: <u>James Herrell</u>
	Indian name: <u></u>
	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(5)	English name: <u>Eliza Grech</u>
	Indian name: <u></u>
	Residence: <u>Kendrick town Mo</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

My Minor Child
Frank Lloyd
Age 19 years

Peter Loveless
Curtall
Mr
Charles Loveless
Baxter
New Mexico

(6)

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

Wahman

Samman Hurd

Levi Hurd

David Hurd

17. Where were they born?

Grandmother Sam Tammag

Grandmother William City, Mo.

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time?

Leathage, Mo. lived in

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Lewis Hurd

Indian name: Wahman

Residence: Leathage, Mo.

(2) English name: Lucy Hurd

Indian name: Wahman

Residence: Leathage, Mo.

(3) English name: Miss Pinkal

Indian name: Wahman

Residence: Leathage, Mo.

(4) English name: Emma Hurd

Indian name: Wahman

Residence: Leathage, Mo.

(5) English name: Eliza Hurd

Indian name: Wahman

Residence: Leathage, Mo. Charles Hurd

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

My minor child { Frank Lloyd }
age 19 years

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Ann Stubblefield
Scruggs-Parker my Great Grand mother who
was Born in 1811 in East Tenn where she lived
untill 1825, and my Grand mother by Sorrow
who was Born in 1829

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Ann Stubblefield Scruggs Parker my
Great Grand mother was admitted and
Enrolled by the Laws Commission in 1895
on the Cherokee Rolls her Roll No is 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Ida Loyd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. M. Hallingford and
E. C. Hiatt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Ida Loyd, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and 17 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Hallingford
E. C. Hiatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 20307

Action: *Reject*

Name *Peter Loveless* and *—* children. Residence: *Miami, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 1171, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

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Peter Larcless

with Gm
in Okla

Peter Louder
1st class of 1171
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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Peter Louder

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.
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Peter Lardless

with Gm
in Okla

No. ~~20347~~ ^{Field} Hamilton Co Tenn

Name Sarah Keith

With No. 20494

Remarks: Grafted here with
is no. 20494, 20547.

with G. M.
Olea

Field, Chatt. Tenn.

Awaiting reply to letter.

Peter Lovelace
1st class of 117
20307

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Peter Lovelace

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.
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CHESTER HOWE? CITY

20307

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Peter Loveliss
Indian name: ✓
2. Residence: Purcell, Mo.
3. Town and post office: Purcell Mo
4. County: Jasper
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: Nov. 3. 1866 Barhoy, Mo
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through Clara J. Loveliss, my mother, and my grandmother (mother's mother) Ann Parker, whose maiden name was Stubblefield - First - she married Scruggs later Parker. My mother married Herrell and later Loveliss.
8. Are you married? no
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Ida Loveliss - 44 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Jonathan Loveliss
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Clarissa J. Loveliss
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Clarissa J. Scruggs
11. Where were they born?
Father: Louisiana
Mother: Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Missouri
Mother: Missouri
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: ✓ Mother: ✓

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Eliza Crech (1/2 Sister)	1846	
(2)	Louis Herrell (1/2 Bro)	1848	
(3)	Lucy Hinkle (1/2 Sister)	1848	
(4)	Maria Rinehart (" ")	1855	
(5)	James H. Herrell (1/2 Bro)	1860	
(6)	Charley Lovelace	1868	

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

Ann Parker
Louis Scruggs

17. Where were they born? Ann Parker was born in East Tenn.
Louis Scruggs was born in Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Carthage, Mo.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	Jerse Scruggs	} <u>Dead</u>
	Indian name:	James " "	
	Residence:	Mine " "	
(2)	English name:	Louis " "	
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(3)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(4)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(5)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

My mother's children: Jonathan Lovelace, minor age 11 years
Jerse Lovelace, minor 11 years

My minor children { Jonathan Lovell, miner 49 1/2 years
Jesse Lovell, miner 25 1/2 years

(5) James H. Henne (1/2 son) 1860
(6) Charles Lovell 1848
16. State English and Indian names of your Grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

Sam Parker
Louis Senego

17. Where were they born?

Sam Parker was born in East Tennessee
Louis Senego was born in Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time?

Carters, Va.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Jesse Senego

Indian name: James " "

Residence: Miami " "

(2) English name: Louis " "

Indian name: " "

Residence: " "

(3) English name: " "

Indian name: " "

Residence: " "

(4) English name: " "

Indian name: " "

Residence: " "

(5) English name: " "

Indian name: " "

Residence: " "

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Ann Stubblefield-
Scruggs-Parker, Grandmother was born in 1811
in Tenn. and was admitted as a citizen of the
Cherokee Nation in 1894.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*Ann Parker, Grandmother was enrolled in Cherokee
Nation by Lewis Commission, in 1896, and her Roll
Number is 30824. Applicant applied at same time
for citizenship but was rejected by the Lewis Commission.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Peter Lovelace*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*8*

My commission expires

January 22nd, 190*9* *M. M. James*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Walter Gishard* and
H. S. Kiser, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Peter Lovelace*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *6* years,
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of witnesses.

Walter Gishard
H. S. Kiser

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*8*

My commission expires

January 22nd, 190*9* *M. M. James*
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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JOHN S. HALE
LAWYER

Miami, Fla. June, 25, 1900

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs?,
Washington, D. C.

Dear sir; Will you please advise me as to the status of the Applications Nos. 20307, and 20313 in the court of Claims asking for a Judgement to participate in the Eastern Cherokee funds? It has been some time since I have heard from the claim and would like to know about when the payment will be made.

I hope to hear from you at an early date, and oblige
Respectfully yours.

Peter Loveless

No. 20308

Action: Reject

Name: James Herrell and — children. Residence: Carthage, Mo.

Reasons:

First Cousin of #1171, and claims through
the same ancestors

20308

James Harrell
1st class of 1171
No. 20308

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James Harrell

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20308

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: James Herrell
Indian name: unknown
2. Residence: Carthage Mo
3. Town and post office: Carthage Mo
4. County: Jasper Co Mo
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: February 7th 1860 Carthage Mo
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother
Clarissa J. Lovell who first married my
father Emerson Herrell later married J. Lovell
and through my Grandmother Ann Parker
whose maiden name Ann Stubblefield later married Scruggs
then Parker
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Allice Herrell
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Emerson Herrell
Indian name: Had none
Mother—English name: Clarissa Herrell later Clarissa Lovell
Indian name: unknown
Maiden name: Clarissa Scruggs
11. Where were they born?
Father: Russellville Tennessee
Mother: Jefferson City Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Carthage Mo
Mother: Carthage Mo
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Died June 11/864 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Eliya Creech	1846	Sister
(2)	Louis Herrell	1848	Brother
(3)	Louise Hinkle	1850	Sister
(4)	Miza Rinehart	1855	Sister
(5)	Peter Lovelace	1866 $\frac{1}{2}$	Brother
(6)	Charles Lovelace	1868 $\frac{1}{2}$	Brother

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

Unknown

Unknown

MOTHER'S SIDE

Louis Scruggs

Ann Parker First Scruggs

17. Where were they born?

Louis Scruggs Born in Virginia

Ann Stubbfield Scruggs Parker was Born in Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time?

Carthage Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Jessie Haden Scruggs Dead

Indian name: Unknown

Residence:

(2) English name: James Scruggs Dead

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name: Miza Scruggs later Miza Hink Dead

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: Clarissa J. Lovelace First Married Herrell

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name: Louis Scruggs Dead

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

my mine
children
John Herrell
age 16 years
Elen Herrell
age 14 years

- (4) Anna Amanda 1855 Daughter
 (5) Peter Charles 1866 $\frac{1}{2}$ Brother
 (6) Charles Charles 1868 $\frac{1}{2}$ Brother

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

- Unknown Anna Charles
Unknown Anna Charles

17. Where were they born? Anna Charles Born in Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time? Anna Charles Charles Charles Peter Charles Anna Charles

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Jessie Ann Charles Dead
 Indian name: Unknown

- Residence: Unknown
 (2) English name: James Charles Dead
 Indian name: Unknown

- Residence: Unknown
 (3) English name: Anna Charles Dead
 Indian name: Unknown

- Residence: Unknown
 (4) English name: Anna Charles Dead
 Indian name: Unknown

- Residence: Unknown
 (5) English name: Anna Charles Dead
 Indian name: Unknown

Residence: Unknown

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes

my mine { John Horrell age 16 years
 children { Ellen Horrell age 12 years

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Through My Grand Mother Ann Stubblefield Scruggs Parker who was Born in East Tennessee in 1811 where she lived till 1825 and Mother was Born Sept 2nd 1829 at Jefferson City Mo

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My Grand Mother Ann Stubblefield Scruggs Parker was Enrolled in 1896 in the Cherokee Nation By the Dawes Commissioner her Roll No is 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

James Herrell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. M. Wallingford* and *E. C. Stitt*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James Herrell*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford

E. C. Stitt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 20309

Name Rose Durby

With No. 1171

Remarks:

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20309

No. 20310

Action: Reject

Name Emerson Tate and — children. Residence: Carthage, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of #1171, and claims through
the same ancestors.

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No. 20310

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Emerson Tati

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

CHESTER HOWE? CITY

20310

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Emerson Tate

Indian name:

unknown

2. Residence:

Carthage Mo

3. Town and post office:

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4. County:

Jasper

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I through my mother
Eliza Crach and my Grand mother E.J.
Loreles my mother's mother and my Great
Grand mother ann Parker who's maiden name was
Stubblefield first she married Scruggs later Parker

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

has none

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Ben Tate

Indian name:

unknown

Mother—English name:

Eliza Tate later Edmunds then Crach

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Eliza Herrell

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Missouri

Mother:

Missouri

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Jeff Carthage Mo

Mother:

Carthage Mo

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Dead Fall 1863

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Sarah Woods sister</u>	<u>1867</u>	
(2)	<u>Ida Lloyd</u>	<u>1869</u>	
(3)	<u>Clarissa Nichols</u>	<u>1871</u>	
(4)	<u>John Edmunds</u>	<u>Died Aug 1st 1878</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Emerson Herrell</u>
	<u>Clarissa Louisa Gist Herrell</u>
	<u>Ann Parker Gist Scruggs</u>
	<u>Louis Scruggs</u>

17. Where were they born? Grand mother Jefferson City Mo
Grand Father Born Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Carthage Mo
Carthage Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<u>Louis Herrell</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Hendrick OK</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Lucy Hinkle</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Carthage Mo</u>
(3) English name:	<u>Miza Pinkart</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Carthage Mo</u>
(4) English name:	<u>James Herrell</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Carthage Mo</u>
(5) English name:	<u>Eliza Greach</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Hendrick town Mo</u>

Peter Louless
Purcell
Charles Louless
Garter
New Mexico

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

my Grand mother Saf. Loeber and my Great Grand Mother Ann Stubblefield-Soruggs-Parker and my Mother Elys Tate-Edmonds-Creach who lived in Bartholomew Missouri in 1851

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

my Mother Elys Creach is a Grand Daughter of Ann Parker whose maiden name was Ann Stubblefield was born in Tenn in 1811 my Grand mother Saf. Loeber whose maiden name was Soruggs was born in Missouri in 1829 Ann Parker was Enrolled in 1896 By Gov
Commission her roll no 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Emerson Tate

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. M. Wallingford and E. C. Hiatt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emerson Tate, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford

E. C. Hiatt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 20311

Action: *Reject*

Name

Geo. Herrell

and

—

children.

Residence:

Carthage, Mo.

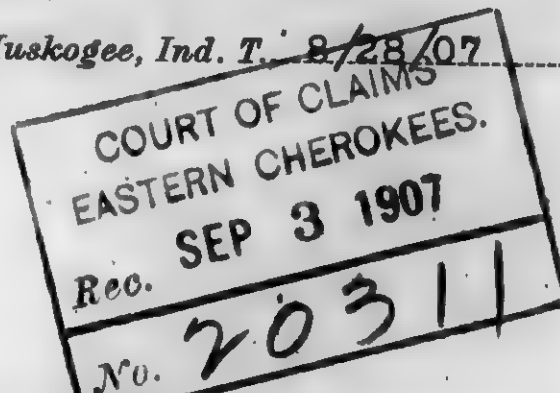
Reasons:

Cousin of #1171, and claims through the same ancestors.

20311

Department of the Interior,
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE,
UNION AGENCY.

Muskogee, Ind. T. 8/28/07



Respectfully referred to
Hon. Guion Miller, Special
Commissioner to the Court of
Claims, Washington, D.C.

Guion Miller
U. S. Indian Agent
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Geo Herrell

20311

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Geo Herrell

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20311

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Through my Father James Herrell
and my Grand mother Charice J. Loebles who first
married Emanuel Herrell who is my Father's Father and
my Great Grand mother Ann Parker who's maiden
name was Ann Stubbfield who later married S. B.uggs then Parker

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Bert Herrell	1886	
(2)	Bertha Herrell now Kinsley	1886	
(3)	Bond Herrell now Sinsy	1889	
(4)	John Herrell	1891	
(5)	Elva Herrell	1895	
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
E. Emerson Herrell	Eliza Douglas
Clarissa Seavelle who first married my Grand Father Emerson Herrell later married J. Seavelle	John Douglas
	Part of Indian Blood

17. Where were they born? Grand Father Emerson Herrell was Born in Mo

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Carthage Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Eliza Seavelle
Indian name:	
Residence:	Kendrick Town Mo
(2) English name:	Louis Herrell
Indian name:	
Residence:	Fredrick Ok
(3) English name:	Louey Hinkle
Indian name:	
Residence:	Carthage Mo
(4) English name:	Miss Rinehart
Indian name:	
Residence:	Carthage Mo
(5) English name:	James Herrell
Indian name:	
Residence:	Carthage Mo

Peter Seavelle
Pineall
Mrs
Charles Seavelle
Carter
New Mex

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

My Great
Grand Mother Ann Stubblefield Scruggs Parker
who was born in 1811 in East Tennessee where she
lived till 1825- and my Grand mother ~~Marion~~
I ~~Charles~~ who is her daughter and my Father J Herrell
who is her son and my Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claim.)

Ann Stubblefield Scruggs Parker my
Great Grand Mother was ^{born} 1811 in the
Cherokee Nation by the Laws Commission
and her Roll No is 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) George Herrell.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909.

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A M Wallingford and
Raymond A. Swartz, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with George Herrell, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 8 years,
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents him to be, and
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A M Wallingford
Raymond A Swartz

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909.

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 52499
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AUG 27 1907
OFFICE OF U.S. INDIAN AGENT,
MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.

8/24

Geo. C. Herrell,
Carthage, Mo.

Asks that his application
No. 20311 be investigated.

Geo. C. Herrell

CHIEF CLERK

Carrington
Aug 27/77

Dear Sir.

I will appreciate your
service if you will
investigate my application
which is No 20311.

As a result of the
above a defendant was
so I can put in
my claim for the

same in time.

Thank you in the
future to render

you double service
Yours Obedient

Geo. C. Herrell

1st March 1977

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February 2, 1910.

The Honorable Attorney General,
Department of Justice,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Yesterday one of your special agents, or examiners, Mr. Harrison I think was his name, called to see me relative to an investigation pending into the action of one John S. Hale of Miami, Oklahoma, which I had referred to you some time since. Mr. Harrison asked me for all information I had bearing on this matter, and I furnished him with all that I had then in hand.

; This morning, however, I found a letter which I believe refers to a transaction with the same party, although his name is not mentioned. I infer this from the fact that a reference is made to a fictitious name of the Clerk of the Court of Claims, McKey, the same as was used in the letters referring directly to Mr. Hale. I am therefore inclosing this letter in case it may be needed in connection with the investigation.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM:NEC.
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Sir:

Replying to your letter of recent date relative to the Eastern Cherokee enrollment, you are advised that since filing my report of May 28, 1909, with the Court of Claims, the matter has passed entirely beyond my control.

My report sets forth why, in my opinion, the claims admitted should be admitted and those rejected should be rejected. The matter now rests with the Court and the only way that my decision can be reviewed is by filing exceptions in accordance with the order of the Court of June 10, 1909.

No blank forms will be furnished for the filing of these exceptions.

Under the order of the Court of Claims of April 29, 1907, it was necessary for claimants to file an application prior to August 31, 1907, and to prove that they were Eastern Cherokee Indians by blood, descended from Indians who were recognized parties to the Treaties of 1835-6, and 1846, and to further prove that they were not Old Settler Cherokees, and that they, or their immediate ancestors, had not since the Treaty of 1846 affiliated with any tribe or band of Indians other than the Cherokee Nation.

The application about which inquiry is made in your letter was rejected because the claimant failed to bring himself within these requirements.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,
Special Commissioner.

COPY.

Carthage, Mo., July 28, 1909.

Sir:

I would like the following information. I have employed a certain attorney to present my application to the Court of Claims at Washington, D.C., for enrollment in the Cherokee Nation under the Curtis Act of March 3, 1909, and he informed me it was necessary to pay \$8.80 to be sent to the Clerk of the Court of Claims as filing charges, which I paid. How is there any filing charges?

I have never received any notice as to my application being filed, only a letter from my attorney saying McKey, the Clerk of said Court of Claims. Is McKey the said Clerk of the Court of Claims at Washington, D.C.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) George Herrell,

1200 S. Clinton Street,

Carthage, Missouri.

App. #20311.

September 9, 1907.

George Herrell,
Carthage,
Missouri.

Sir:-

Your letter of August 24, 1907, addressed to the United States Indian Agent, of Muskogee, Indian Territory, has been referred to this office for reply.

You are advised that the applications for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund have not been taken up for final consideration, and we cannot state at this time whether or not you are entitled to share in this fund, or the amount each successful claimant will receive.

As there are over 40,000 applications on file and the claimants are widely scattered through the United States, it will necessarily take considerable time to have all of these cases adjudicated, and until they are so determined no money can be distributed.

If there is any further information required in connection with your application you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

NLC.

Special Commissioner.

No. 20312

Action: *Reject*

Name *Bertha Kinsley* and — children. Residence: *Carthage, Mo.*

Reasons:

Cousin of #1171, and claims through the same ancestors.

20312

Bertha Kinsley
1st cons. order re-
20312

No.

Moved of 1171

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Bertha Kinsley

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indian. Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20312

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Bertha Kinsley
Indian name: unknown
2. Residence: Carthage Mo
3. Town and post office: Carthage Mo
4. County: Jasper
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: March 2nd 1886 Carthage Mo
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I through my father James Herrell and his mother Clarissa I believe my Grand mother who is a daughter of Ann Parker who was admitted on the Roll in 1896 By the Law Commission
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: William Kinsley 25 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: James Herrell
Indian name: unknown
Mother—English name: Alice Herrell
Indian name: Had son
Maiden name: Alice Douglas
11. Where were they born?
Father: Carthage Mo
Mother: Putnam Co Mo
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Not born till 1860
Mother: Born in 1855
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Living Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George Herrell	Born 1894	
(2)	Bert Herrell	" 1886	
(3)	Boz' Herrell Mrs. Luby	1889	
(4)	John Herrell	" 1891	
(5)	Glen Herrell	" 1898	
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE. MOTHER'S SIDE.
 Clarissa Lovell's Grand mother who first married Herrell
 Emerson Herrell Grand Father
 Ann Stubblefield Scruggs Parker Great Grand mother

17. Where were they born? Ann Parker was Born in East Tennessee
Leavis Scruggs was Born in Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Eliza Greach

Indian name: _____

Residence: Hamden Conn Mo

(2) English name: Louis Herrell

Indian name: _____

Residence: Frederick O B

(3) English name: Lenor Kippke

Indian name: _____

Residence: Cass, Mo

(4) English name: Miss Reinhardt

Indian name: _____

Residence: Barthage Mo

(5) English name: James Hearrell

Indian name: _____

Residence: Carthage, Mo

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes

My minor: { Harvey Kinsley 1 year old
Child

My Miner
Child { Harvey Kinsley 1 year old

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18.

19.

20.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: My Great Grand
Mother Ann Stubbfield Scruggs Parker who was
Born in 1811 in East Tennessee where she lived till 1895

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Ann Stubbfield - Scruggs - Parker my Great
Grandmother was Enrolled in 1896 in the Cherokee
Nation By the Dawes Commission and her Roll
No is 30824, Made my Claim in 1896 for
my head Right before Dawes Commission but was Rejected

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Bertha Kinsley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

January 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. M. Wallingford and
D. S. Lansdown, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Bertha Kinsley, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 20 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford

D. S. Lansdown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

January 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 25 1909
No. 20312

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1171

No. 20313

Action: *Reject*

Name *Winnie Warren* and — children. Residence: *Alba, Mo.*

Reasons:

Cousin of #1171, and claims through the same ancestors.

20313

~~James H. H. H.~~
1st cons. order
No. 20313
moved of 1171
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

~~James H. H. H.~~

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

CHESTER HOWE. CITY

20313

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Winnie Warren*

Indian name: _____

2. Residence: *Alba, Mo.*

3. Town and post office: *Alba, Mo.*

4. County: *Jasper*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *Mo. - Nov. 30, 1888*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *My father Peter Lovelace, who is son of my grandmother Clarissa J. Lovelace, who is daughter of Ann Stubblefield-Scruggs-Parker*

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *23 yrs - Elmer Warren*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Peter Lovelace*

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: *Ida Lovelace*

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: *Ida Davis*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Mo.*

Mother: *Iowa*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Jonathan Lovell	11 years	
(2)	Jesse	4 " "	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Clarissa J. Lovell	James Davis
Jonathan Lovell	Amanda E. Davis

17. Where were they born? Mo. & Indiana

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Mo.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Eliza Cruch</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Hendrick Town, Mo.</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Louis Herrell</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Hendrick Pk</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Lucy Heichle</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Carthage</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Mrs. Reinhart</u>
	Indian name: <u>Carthage</u>
	Residence: <u>Carthage Mo</u>
(5)	English name: <u>James Herrell</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Carthage</u>

Charley Lovell
Carthage Mo.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Clara J.
Lovelace and her mother Ann Stubblefield Seruggs-
Parker

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Made application by my father, before same Commission
for admission in 1896 - for land but was
Rejected My Great Grand mother Ann Stubblefield
Seruggs Parker was admitted by same
Commission in 1896 her Roll no is 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Winnie Warren

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Walter Gierhart and
W. D. Viner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Winnie Warren, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 5 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Walter Gierhart
W. D. Viner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 20314

Name Fred Ambrose and — children. Action: Reject

Residence: Carthage, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of #1171, and claims through the same ancestors.

20314

~~1" cons. over 72-~~
No. 20314
~~moved of 1171~~
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Fred Ambrose

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, and the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
No.

CENTER HOWE. CITY.

20314

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Fred Ambrose
Indian name: unknown
2. Residence: Carthage Mo
3. Town and post office: ll ll
4. County: Jasper Co Mo
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: Carthage Mo
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my Grand Mother ^{69 & mother} and my Great Grand Mother ^{ann Parker} who lived in Carthage Mo in 1851 and through my mother Miza Pinkart who is a Grand Daughter of ann Parker
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Lafayette Ambrose
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Miza Ambrose now Pinkart
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Miza Herrell
11. Where were they born?
Father: Tennessee
Mother: Jasper Co Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: not Born
Mother: ll ll
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Died July 22 1896 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Sister Carroll</i>	<i>1876</i>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Emerson Herrell</i>
<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Clarina Louisa Furst Herrell</i>

17. Where were they born? *Emerson Herrell Born Tennessee*
Clarina Louisa Furst Herrell Born Mo

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Carthage Mo*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>Louis Herrell</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Fredrick Ck.</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Eliza Greach</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Kendrick town Jasper Co Mo</i>
(3) English name:	<i>James Herrell</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Carthage Mo</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Louy Hinkle</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Carthage Mo</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Miza Ambrose now Rinkart</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Carthage Mo</i>

Peter Louisa
Prue
Charles Louisa
Carthage Mo
new Mexico

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Through my Mother and her Mother my Great Grand mother who lived in Georgia in 1851.

Clarissa J. Loveliss, Es Ann Stubbfield-Seruggo-Parker

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

my Mother's maiden name was Miss Herrell she is the daughter of Clarissa Loveliss whose maiden name was Clarissa Seruggo. Clarissa Loveliss is the daughter of Ann Parker whose maiden name was Ann Stubbfield. Ann Parker was admitted on the Cherokee Rolls By the Law Commission in 1896 her roll no is 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Fred Ambrose

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

January 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. M. Wallingford and Geo. Ruffner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fred Ambrose, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford

Geo. Ruffner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1909

My commission expires

January 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20315

Action: *Reject*

Name *Lucy Hinkle* and *—* children. Residence: *Carthage, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #1171, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

20315

Lucy Hinkle
1st copy of 1171
No. 20315

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lucy Hinkle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAR 30 1907
No.

CHESTER HONE. CITY

C H Morgan
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20315

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Lucy Hinkle

Indian name:

unknown

2. Residence:

Carthage Mo

3. Town and post office:

Carthage Mo

4. County:

Jasper

5. State:

Missouri

6. Date and place of birth:

June 7 " 1850 Carthage Mo

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Through ~~Blancha~~ ~~Harrell~~ now ~~Blancha~~ ~~Harrell~~ is my mother
and my grand mother (Mother's Mother)
Parker whose maiden name was ~~Stubblefield~~ ~~Paul~~
she married Scruggs later Parker my mother name
~~Harrell~~ and later ~~Scruggs~~

8. Are you married?

no

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Emerson Harrell

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Blancha Harrell or Blancha Loveless

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Blancha Scruggs

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Russellville Tenn

Mother:

Jefferson City Mo

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Carthage Missouri

Mother:

"

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

June 1864

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DEAD
(1)	Lewis M. Herrell	1843	Living
(2)	Eliza Lovell	1846	" "
(3)	Mary Richmond	1855	" "
(4)	James Herrell	1860	" "
(5)	Peter Lovell 1/2 Bro	1866	" "
(6)	Charles " 1/2 "	1868	" "

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Lucy Herrell	Ann Parker
Michael Herrell	Lewis Semmes

17. Where were they born? Ann Parker was born East Tennessee Lewis Semmes was born in Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time?

Barthage Missouri

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Jesse Semmes	Dead
Indian name:	James	
Residence:	Mary	
(2) English name:	Lewis	
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(3) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(4) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(5) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Ann Sturtevant -
Scruggs-Parker, Grand Mother, was born
in 1811 in Tennessee
Clara J. Scruggs-Hazel-Lovelace

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Anna Parker Grand Mother was enrolled
in the Cherokee Nation by Dawes Commission
in 1896 and her Roll No 30824 Application filed
at the same time for Citizenship, but was
rejected by the Dawes Commission

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Lucey M. Hinkle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

January 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. M. Wallingford and
Robert J. Dale, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Lucey M. Hinkle, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 40 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford
Robert J. Dale

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

January 22nd, 1909

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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JUN 27 1909
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Q

Carthage Mo- 6/24-1907

Quinn Miller-Special Com. Court of Claims

Dear Sir:- I am in receipt of your favor of the 10th inst. stating that you reported to the Court of Claims that my application No 20313 for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 26, 1906, should be rejected.

Now I would like to make further application, if possible, and would like to know upon what grounds or upon what lack of evidence you reported my application rejected.

Or what was my applicant be especially expected and how is he to know whether or not his name has been properly

placed upon the roll?

If you can furnish me with any information upon these points I will be glad to hear from you at your soonest possible convenience. I cannot understand why we have been rejected or how it could possibly have been from lack of sufficient proof as when Examiner Black of the Court of Claims visited Carthage, he dismissed me after having asked me but a very few questions, saying that my evidence was convincing in every detail and that no further proof would be needed to firmly establish my claim. Anticipating your reply I am, Yours very respectfully, Lucy Ann Carthage W. Co.

No. 20316

Name *Miza Rinehart* and — children. Action: *Reject*
Residence: *Carthage, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #1171, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

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20316

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

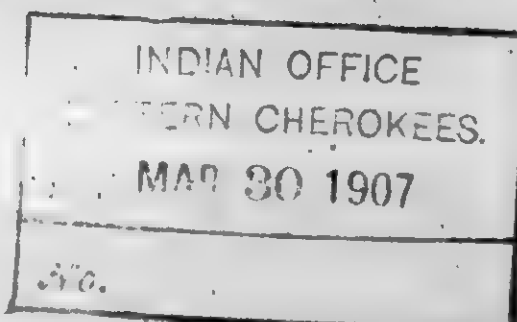
APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Rinehart

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Miza Rinehart*
Indian name: *unknown*

2. Residence: *Carthage Mo*

3. Town and post office: *Carthage Mo*

4. County: *Jasper Co Mo*

5. State: *Missouri*

6. Date and place of birth: *Jasper Co*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Through my mother*

Clarissa J. Bowker who was born in 1829 in Jefferson City Mo and through my Grand mother who was born in Tennessee in 1811 where she lived till 1825 then moved to Mo

8. Are you married? *No*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Amelia and Rinehart Booth Lead*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Emerson Herrell*
Indian name: *—*

Mother—English name: *Clarissa Loveless First married Herrell*
Indian name: *—*

Maiden name: *Clarissa Scruggs*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Russchills Tennessee*

Mother: *Jefferson City Mo*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Carthage Mo*

Mother: *Carthage Mo*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Died June 7th 1864* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Eliza Herrick	1846	Sister
(2)	Louis Herrick	1848	Brother
(3)	Lucy Hinkle	1850	Sister
(4)	James Herrick	1860	Brother
(5)	Peter Leachman	1866 $\frac{1}{2}$	Brother
(6)	Charles Leachman	1868 $\frac{1}{2}$	Brother

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Lucy Herrick mother	Louis Scruggs
Michael Herrick	Ann Parker First Scruggs

17. Where were they born? Louis Scruggs, Born in Virginia
Ann Parker Born East Tennessee

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Carthage Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Jessie Scruggs
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(2) English name:	James Scruggs
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name:	Clarissa Scruggs
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	Miza Scruggs
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	Louis Scruggs
Indian name:	
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My Mother now Leliana J. Lovelace First Married My Father Emerson Hersell was born at Jefferson City Mo in 1829 her Mother My Grand Mother Ann Stubblefield then Scruggs then Parker was born in East Tennessee in 1811*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My Grand Mother Ann Parker whose maiden name was Ann Stubblefield she first married Grand Father Scruggs by whom my mother was born then later married Parker was admitted on the Cherokee Roll in 1896 her Roll No is 30824

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Miza Rinehart*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*9*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9* *M. M. James*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Robert J Dale* and *A M Wallingford*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Miza Rinehart*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *17* years and *40* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Robert J Dale

A M Wallingford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*9*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9* *M. M. James*
Notary Public.

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No. 20317

Action: Reject

Name Eliza Creach and — children. Residence: Carthage, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of #1171, and claims through the same ancestors.

Eliza Creech

No. 20317

1st cons. of 1171

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Eliza Creech

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

No.

OFFICER IN CHARGE . . .

20317

SIR:

1. State full name—

English name: Blackberry

Indian name: unknown

2. Residence: San Francisco Town

3. Town and post office: Castroville

4. County: Laurel

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: Pake Co Mo

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my mother

Clarisa Lovell and my Grand Mother
Ann Parker First scruggs late Parker

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: John Wesley Crench

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Emerson Herrell

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Clarissa Louise First Herrel

Indian name:

Maiden name: Clarissa J. Scruggs

11. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: _____ Jefferson City Mo

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Barthelme Mo

Mother: Leah Chase Moore

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Dud Jones 1864 Mother: Loring

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Louis Herrell Bro	1848	
(2)	Luey Hinkh sister	1858	
(3)	Miza Rinkert sister	1858	
(4)	James Herrell Bro	1860	
(5)	Peter Lovelock 1/2 Bro	1866	
(6)	Charles Lovelock 1/2 Bro	1868	

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Luey Herrell	Ann Scruggs Parker
Michael Herrell	Louis Scruggs

17. Where were they born? Ann Parker was Born in East Tennessee
Louis Scruggs was Born in Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Carthage Mo

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Jess Scruggs {Dead}</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(2)	English name: <u>James Scruggs {Dead}</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(3)	English name: <u>Miza Scruggs {Dead}</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(4)	English name: <u>Louis Scruggs {Dead}</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My mother*

*Clarissa J. Leavelle. Daughter of Ann Parker Priest
Ann Stubbfield then Scruggs then Parker
My mother was born in 1829 My Grand mother
was born 1811 My Great Grand mother was born 1800*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My Great Grand mother Ann Stubbfield
Scruggs Parker was born in 1811 in East Tennessee
and was admitted on the Cherokee Rolls in
the Cherokee nation in 1896 By the Laws Commissioner
her Roll no is 30824*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Elija Orwick

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *D. S. Lansdown* and
Anna Gillum, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Elija Orwick*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *25* years and *25* years,
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *she* represents *her self* to be, and
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

D. S. Lansdown

Anna Gillum

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 20318

Action: Reject

Name Bert Herrell and — children. Residence: Carthage, Mo.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 1171, and claims through
the same ancestors.

20318

Best interest
1st consideration re.
No. 20318
moved of 1171
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Bert Herrell

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.
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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

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20318

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Bert Herrell

Indian name:

2. Residence: Jasper County Missouri

3. Town and post office: Heath Gap

4. County: Jasper

5. State: Missouri

6. Date and place of birth: March 2nd 1886 Jasper County Mo

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through James Herrell
my mother Gloria ~~James~~
my father, my Grand Mother my father mother
her mother Ann Parker whose maiden name
was Stubbfield first she married George
Late Parker my

8. Are you married? no

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: James Herrell

Indian name: unknown

Mother—English name: Alice Herrell

Indian name: unknown

Maiden name: Alice Douglas

11. Where were they born?

Father: Jasper County Mo

Mother: Pulman "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born until 1860

Mother: " " 1855

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living

Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George Herrell	Aug 16 1884	Living
(2)	John Herrell	Nov 17 1891	"
(3)	Rose Surby	June 28 1889	"
(4)	Glenn Herrell	Sept 15 1893	"
(5)	Bertha Winsley	Mar 25 1886	"
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Emm. b. son Hurrell	Blarissa J. Hurrell
Ann Stubblefield, Son's gr.	2 ^d Maria J. Nathan Swales
Grand mother	Pat's Grand-

17. Where were they born? Ann Parker was born East-Ten
Series. Senggs was born in Virginia.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Barth & Co. Messrs.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Eliza Louche Kendricks Tenn mo
Indian name: _____

Indian name:

• Residence: Hendricks Torgus Mo

(2) English name: Louise Herrell

Indian name: .

Residence: Indones OK

(3) English name: Lucy Howells

Indian name:

Residence: Barthage mo

(4) English name: Miza Rahman

Indian name:

Residence: Leavenworth, Mo

(5) English name: James Bruce

* Indian name:

Residence: Cashay mo

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: 21

- OP 1891
- (3) *Jose Durley* June 28 1889
- (4) *Henry Merrill* Sept 18 1895
- (5) *Abigail Hunsley* Mar 21 1886
- (6) _____

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

Sam'l Earl Howell

MOTHER'S SIDE

Marion J. Howell

John Dittlerford, Benggo, Santa Fe

17. Where were they born?

John Dittlerford was born Easton

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time?

Beth of Missouri

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Olga Leach* Residence: *St. Louis*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *St. Louis*

(2) English name: *Henry Merrill*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *St. Louis*

(3) English name: *Henry Merrill*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *St. Louis*

(4) English name: *Mary Merrill*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *St. Louis*

(5) English name: *James Merrill*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *St. Louis*

St. Louis

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *Anna Stubbliquis*
Parlee - my Great-Grand Mother who
was born in 1811 in Iowa where she lived
until some years later or about 1825

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Anna Stubbliquis, Senegp, Parlee, my
Great-Grand Mother was inrolled in the
Sherokee Nation in 1896 and admitted
by the Dawes Commissioner, and her
Roll No 30824.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Bert Herrell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A. M. Wallingford* and
D. S. Lansdown, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Bert Herrell*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *20* years,
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A. M. Wallingford

D. S. Lansdown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan'y 22nd, 190*9*

M. M. James

Notary Public.

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No. 20319. Action: Reject.
Name Reuben Daiter and 3 children. Residence: Mocksville, N. C.
Reasons: Brother of 19480.

20319

No. 20319

Name Ruben Gauthier

With No. 19480

Remarks:

Mocksville *Savre Co.*
Supl.

No. 20319

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

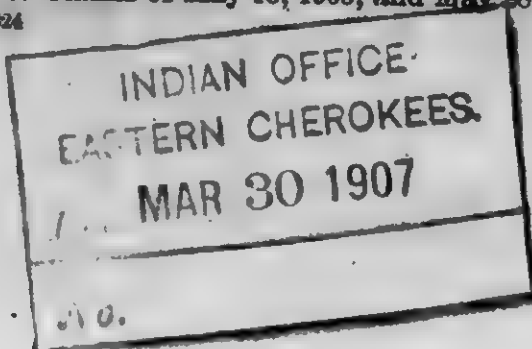
APPLICATION

OF

Benjamin Gaither

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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20319

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Reuben Gaither*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: *Mocksville N.C.*
4. County: *Rocky*
5. State: *N.C.*
6. Date and place of birth: *Mocksville*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *My mother's father was an Indian*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Frances Gaither*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *London Gaither*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Jamie Gaither*
Indian name: *Jennie*
Maiden name: *Jamie Hobbs*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Mocksville N.C. May 15 1816*
Mother: *Mocksville N.C. May 15 1816*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Mocksville*
Mother: *Mocksville*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Jan 2 1879* Mother: *June 1874*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Mrs Emily King		
(2)	Mrs Sarah J. Garrett		
(3)	Alex Gauthier		
(4)	Jefferson H. Gauthier		
(5)	Thomas Gauthier		1889
(6)	Hannah Gauthier		1904

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Reine Marie Pearson	Jos. Maria Holmes

17. Where were they born?

unknown

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

unknown

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Jane Holmes Gauthier
Indian name:	Jos. Holmes
Residence:	
(2) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*David and Anne Pearson
James and Clara Holmes*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*his
Rubin X. Gritter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

_____, 190

*A. T. Grant
Clerk Superior Court* Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. L. Kelly* and *J. L. Clement*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Rubin Gritter*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *40* years and *40* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*J. L. Kelly
J. L. Clement*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

_____, 190

*A. T. Grant
Clerk Superior Court* Notary Public.

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These are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Clements
J. G. Gaither

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June, 1907.

My commission expires , 190 .

Cluck S. Spencer
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20319

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

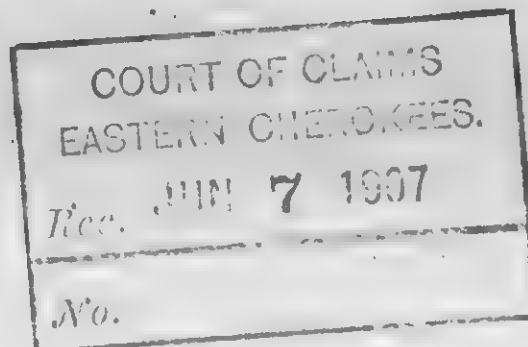
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Ruben Gaither
Gaither

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20319

1. State your full name: Rubin Gaither wife Francis Gaither
2. Residence and post office: Mocksville
3. County: Davis
4. State: North Carolina
5. Date and place of birth: Davis County N. C. in 1857
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: 50 years + 53
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary E. Gaither</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1883</u>
(2)	<u>Rose Gaither</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1887</u>
(3)	<u>Alice E. Gaither</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Rubin Gaither

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June 1907.

My Commission expires

A. J. Frank
Notary Public.

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. L. Clement and L. G. Gaither who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Reubin Gaither who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 45 years and 45 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. L. Clement
L. G. Gaither

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of June, 1907.

A. J. Spauld
Clark Spencer Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

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No. 20319

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

Reubin Gaither
OF
Gaither
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



No. 20320

Action: Rejected -

Name: James Beasley and 4 children.

Residence: Pilot Mountain
N.C.

Reasons:

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No. 20320

Name Jas. Beasley

With No. 19960.

Remarks:

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Jas. Beasley

Notified to appear
at Pilot Mountain
to testify but

~~Signature - undeposited~~
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failed to appear

No. 20320

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Jas. Beasley
Jones Beasley

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.
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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Re. MAR 30 1907 No.

Filed with
19960.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: James Beasley

Indian name: _____

2. Residence: Pilot Mountain

3. Town and post office: Pilot Mountain

4. County: Swain

5. State: North Carolina

6. Date and place of birth: Jan 10 1887 Stokes Co. N.C.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: my father Mat

Beasley and his father
Thomas Beasley. Both was
part to the frontiers of the
Cherokee Indians. Thomas Beasley claim
to be one half Indian

8. Are you married? no

9. Name and age of wife or husband: none

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Mat Beasley

Indian name: Samie

Mother—English name: Lear Beasley

Indian name: same

Maiden name: Lear Gains

11. Where were they born?

Father: Stokes county North Carolina

Mother: Bedford county Virginia

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Stokes county North Carolina

Mother: Stokes county North Carolina

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Jul 1906

Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: do not know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	James Beasley	1887	
(2)	John Beasley	1884	
(3)	Minie Beasley	1890	
(4)	Larah Beasley	1893	
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Thomas Beasley	James Goins
	Wiley James Goins

17. Where were they born? father side Stokes co Va
father side Patrick co Va

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I think in Stokes co Va
Might have been in Patrick co Va

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: James Beasley
Indian name: Franklin Beasley
Residence: Stokes

(2) English name: Saley Carter
Indian name: his in Patrick co Va
Residence: Lish Bateman
his in Patrick co Va

(3) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(4) English name: Ruth Rains
Indian name: _____
Residence: his in Patrick county Virginia

(5) English name: I think they have moved to Stokes
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

My father
Mat Beasley and though his
father Thomas Beasley both
was said to be descendants of the Cherokee
Indian. Thomas Beasley was said to be a
full blooded Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

The Beasleys and the gains has all
ways been recognized as Indian
by the people living in this country

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

James H Beasley
28 March 1906

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of March 1906.

My commission expires

Aug-1, 1907

W.R. Bridgitt
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J.E. Felt and
S.H. Kuabier, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *James Beasley*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *4* years,
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J.E. Felt
S.H. Kuabier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of March 1906.

My commission expires

Aug-1, 1907

W.R. Bridgitt
Notary Public.

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No. 20321

Action: Admitted

Name: William Hitehu and X children. Residence: Baron Ojala

Reasons: Piece of # 2267

Included with # 2267

No. 20321.

Name Wilson Kitcher

With No. 2267.

Remarks:

No. 20321

Recd. of 2267

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nelson Hitcher

For shares of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Recd MAR 30 1907

No.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— Wilson Hitcher
English name: _____
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: 4 miles west of Baron I T
3. Town and post office: Baron I T
4. County: Cherokee nation
5. State: Indian Ter
6. Date and place of birth: Jan 15, 1894 Going Snake dist 3 miles s Baron
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: nee Corn Silk
Dave Hitcher, Qua tie, Corn Silk
Annie Corn Silk, Er wa tie, E na dah e gah
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Sam Hitcher
Indian name: Sah ni
Mother—English name: Annie Spade widow of Sam Hitcher
Indian name: Ah rie
Maiden name: Ah rie
11. Where were they born?
Father: Going Snake dist 6 miles s Baron
Mother: Sallisaw Dist
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: not living
Mother: not living
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: fall 1908 Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes in Cherokee nation

15. Name of all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>none</u>	<u>b</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
English name	<u>Dave Hatcher</u>	English name	<u>unknown</u>
Indian name	<u>Qua tie</u>	Indian name	<u>Ta ke</u>

17. Where were they born? Going snake dist

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name	<u>Samson</u>	<u>dead</u>
	Indian name		
	Residence	<u>Going Snake dist</u>	
(2)	English name	<u>Sam</u>	<u>died fall 1898</u>
	Indian name		
	Residence	<u>Going Snake dist</u>	
(3)	English name	<u>John</u>	
	Indian name		
	Residence	<u>Going Snake dist</u>	
(4)	English name	<u>Tse cah nah lah</u>	<u>died spring 1894</u>
	Indian name		
	Residence		
(5)	English name		
	Indian name		
	Residence		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: yes Cherokee payment

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Er wah tie ~~David Hitchens~~ David Hitchens mother the great
grand mother of Wilson Hitchen

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

by his mother
Annie Spade
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of March, 1906.
My commission expires March 4, 1907
Wm. B. Clyne
Wilson Hitchen
(Signature) Annie Spade
Frank Howard
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Watt Whitman and
Frank S. Howard, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Annie Spade, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 5 years,
respectively, and known her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of witnesses.

Watt Whitman
Frank S. Howard
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of March, 1906.
My commission expires March 4, 1907
Frank Howard
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary etc.

No. 20322

Action: Reject

Name Callie M. Hill and X children. Residence: Homer, Ga.

Reasons:

Ancestors not enrolled. Applicant fails to establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.

Misc. test. p. 1247, 1248.

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No. 20322. ^{Field} ^{Banks Co. Ga.}

Name Callie M. Hiel

With No. _____

Remarks:

Field, Homer, Ga.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20322

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Callie M. Hiel

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 30 1907

No.

*Oscar Brown, Atty
Homer, Ga.*

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Callie M. Hill*

Indian name: *Callie M. Kerk*

2. Residence: *Homer Ga*

3. Town and post office: *Homer Ga*

4. County: *Douglas*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *8th day of Jan 1877 in Habersham Co. Ga*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *By my great grand father being a full blood Cherokee on Indian side*

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *William B. Hill age thirty five years*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John Abbot*

Indian name: *John Kerk*

Mother—English name: *Jane Abbot*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Jane Wood*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Ringold Ga.*

Mother: *Habersham County Ga*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Habersham County Ga*

Mother: *Habersham County Ga*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *1880*

Mother: *1900*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>John Abbot</u>	<u>Mary Abbot</u>
<u>John Hunt</u>	<u>Mary Kert</u>

17. Where were they born? Ringold Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ringold Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<u>N. A</u>
Indian name:	<u>Do not know</u>
Residence:	
(2) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: My great

grand father was John Kerk and a full
blood Cherokee Indian. His daughter and
my grand mother was Mary Abbot and
her son and my father was John Abbott

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Callie M. Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of March, 1907

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Oscar Brown and

C. J. Hill, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Callie M. Hill, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and

that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Oscar Brown

C. J. Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of March, 1907

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 10 1908
No. 2,322.

OSCAR BROWN
ATTORNEY AT LAW

F.S.T.

Application No. 20322.

Homer, Ga. April 7th 1908.

Dear Sirs:

Repleyng
To your letter of April 4th instant I will
state that none of my ancestors were
slaves, at any time.

Yours Truly
Callie Hill

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 4 1908

No. 20322.

OSCAR BROWN
ATTORNEY AT LAW

Appl. no. 20322

[Handwritten signature]

Homer, Ga. April 1st 1908

Dear Sir:

I received your letter of inquiry relative to enrollment of my grand parents. John Abbott lived at Ringgold North Carolina as I am informed. I can not find out why any of my parents or grand parents were not enrolled.

All I can find is they had no opportunity to do so.

Yours Truly
Callie Hill

EST/STO.

Chief Clerk.

by

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

establish your right to share in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable pertaining to
slaves

as Eastern Cherokees were any of your ancestors ever
your parents' and your grandparents' were never enrolled
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees' please state why you
the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
Relative to your application for participation in

Wagon:

Homer, Ga.

Delia W. Hill.

Appl. No. 50388.

March 14, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20322.

March 17, 1908.

Callie M. Hill,
Homer, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents, and your grandparents, were never enrolled as Eastern Cherokees? Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

Office concerning this letter of once.

and your ancestors were ever slaves. Please advise this

you will to answer the question as to whether or not you

are in receipt of your recent letter in which

regard:

Home, C.

George Hill.

Abraham No. 20355.

Abraham No. 20355.

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Appln. No. 20322.

April 4, 1908.

Callie Hill,

Homer, Ga.

Madam:

We are in receipt of your recent letter in which you fail to answer the question as to whether or not you and your ancestors were ever slaves. Please advise this office concerning this matter at once.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

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Appln. No. 20322.

April 4, 1908.

Callie Hill.

Homer, Ga.

Madam:

We are in receipt of your recent letter in which you fail to answer the question as to whether or not you and your ancestors were ever slaves. Please advise this office concerning this matter at once.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

#20322

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No.
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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

OFFICE OF
OSCAR BROWN
ATTORNEY AT LAW

HOMER, GA.

March 26 1907

Commission of Indian Affairs
Washington D.C.

I herewith send applications for participation
in fund allowed Cherokee Indians.

I did not back them as I did not know
whether you wanted given or sir name
first.

Yours Truly
Oscar Brown

Appln. No. 20382.

Callie M. Hill,--- being duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is Callie M. Hill. I am 30 years old.
I was born in Habersham Co., and have lived in Ga. all my life.
I have Cherokee Indian blood from my father. My father was John
Abbot. He is not living. He has been dead about 26 years old.
He was about 35 when he died. I do not know whether my father
was ever enrolled. I know of no reason for his not being en-
rolled. I never heard my father say anything about any treaties
with the Indians. I never heard him tell me anything about the
Indians. My mother said that he was a quarter Indian and my
grandfather a 3/4. My ^{great} grandfather was John Kirk; ~~his~~ he was
a full Indian. I think he lived in Georgia. I don't know that
he ever lived west of the Mississippi. We have been recognized
as white people. This is all I know about this matter.

Callie Hill
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Maysville, Ga.,
this 9th day of July, 1908.

ASm
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

Witness in re Callie Hill.

Appln. No. 20322.

Hiram Gill, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Hiram Gill. I live in Banks Co., Ga. I have always lived in Ga. I have known Callie Hill all her life. I have seen her father and he claimed to be one-quarter Indian. I am an uncle to Callie Hill. Her father was John Abbot. I knew him but a short while, - something like six months. He claimed to have Eastern Cherokee Indian blood. He said that his father had a home at Rainbow and that his father was a half blood and his grandfather a full blood. I never heard him talk about getting any money from the Government. He lived here in Georgia. I do not know of his living anywhere but in Georgia. He was recognized as white but as having Indian blood. I never heard him talk about taking part in the councils of the Indians. I know that he could talk the Indian or Cherokee language.

Hiram Gill
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Maysville, Ga.,
this 9th day of July, 1908.

ASm
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

No. 20323

Action: Reject.

Name Lettie Mealor and X children. Residence: Hollingsworth, Ga.
Reasons: Claimed through the same source as
11946.

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No. 20373

Name Lettie Mealon

With No. 11948

Remarks:

No. 20323.

Field
Banker Co; Ga.

Name Lette Meador

With No.

Remarks:

See 11948

Field, Hollingsworth,
Ga.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20323

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Leitic Meador

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indian, by act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

No.

*Oscar Brown, Atty
20323 Homer, Ga.*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Lettie Meador
Indian name: Lettie Marr
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: Hollingsworth Ga
4. County: Barth
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: March 16th 1834 Ball County
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: By my grand mother, Anna Marr, being a full blood Cherokee Indian.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Husband dead
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Samuel Smith
Indian name: Samuel Marr
Mother—English name: Elsie Smith
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Elsie Maddox
11. Where were they born?
Father: South Carolina
Mother: Gwinnett Co Ga
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Habersham County Ga
Mother: Habersham County Ga
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: 1872 Mother: 1865

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Cathrine Smith	1824	dead
(2)	James Smith	1826	dead
(3)	Thomas Smith	1832	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE		MOTHER'S SIDE	
Abraham Smith		Bob Matter	
Anna Smith		Matter	

17. Where were they born? Gwinnett County, Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? dead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	Samuel Smith	
	Indian name:	Samuel Marr	dead
	Residence:		
(2)	English name:	Ellen Smith	dead
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(3)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(4)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(5)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

By my
grand mother Anna Mary
being a full blood Cherokee
Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Lettie Mealer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

_____, 190

D. J. Hill
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *R. O. Simmons* and
And Sammons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Lettie Mealer*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *20* years,
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

R. O. Simmons
And Sammons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *March*, 190*7*.

My commission expires

_____, 190

D. J. Hill
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 2 1908

No.

48.

my children had not
put in their claim i
have four living children
and four dead i am a
lone widow no more
just me and my daughter
maids of children.

Nathan male
Jack male
Robert male
Bill male
live my children

let me male

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 2 1908

No. 20323.

March the 31 1908

MR Quinn Miller i dont know
 thing a bout it if the boys ever dance a
 thing a year at that time as enclosed
 enclosed. I have no my friends mother
 was a cheeper and come to see
 and live and did hear and my
 friend father was a high man in
 wood - small when my grand mother did
 she did be for the reason there

best with ya R & d in chief of chancery
 letter number 112

20329.

203/200.

Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

Establish your right to share in this fund.

Give any other information of a simple tendency to

as Eastern Cherokee. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Your parents and your grandparents were never enrolled

in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. Please state with you.

the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation in

Indian.

Hollingsworth, Jr.

Letter No. 100.

Allyn, No. 80323.

March 11, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20323.

March 17, 1908.

Lettie Mealor,

Hollingsworth, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled as Eastern Cherokees? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

20323

File

No. 20324 Action: Refected.
Name: Isaac Carver and X children. Residence: Gillsville, Ga.
Reasons: Applicant was a slave.

20324

No. 20324

Reject

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Name Isaac Bowen

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Slaves.
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20324

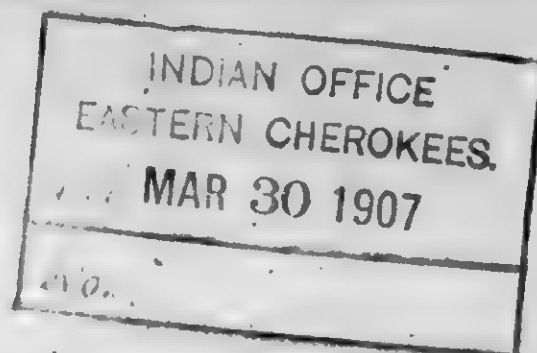
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Isaac Brown

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.



20324

*Oscar Brown, Orly
Homer, Ga*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Isaac Caven
Indian name: Isaac Caven
2. Residence: Killebrew
3. Town and post office: Killebrew
4. County: Banks
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: 15th day of March 1879, Jackson Co. Ga
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: By my grand
father Caesar Caven being a full
blood Cherokee Indian
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Virginia Caven aged
sixty seven
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Rock Caven
Indian name: Rock Caven
Mother—English name: Viola Caven
Indian name: Viola Caven
Maiden name: Viola Caven
11. Where were they born?
Father: Jackson County Ga
Mother: Jackson County Ga
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Jackson County Ga
Mother: Jackson County Ga
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: 1875 Mother: 1835

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Gill Caven	1827	dead
(2)	Robert Caven	1825	dead
(3)	Mary Kidd	1828	dead
(4)	Olakia Little	1831	dead
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Cassan Caven	

17. Where were they born? Jackson County Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jackson County Georgia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Doyle Caven</u>
	Indian name: <u>Orange Caven</u>
	Residence: <u>dead</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Orange Caven</u>
	Indian name: <u>Orange Caven</u>
	Residence: <u>dead</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Rilla Caven</u>
	Indian name: <u>Rilla Caven</u>
	Residence: <u>dead</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Viola Caven</u>
	Indian name: <u>Viola Caven</u>
	Residence: <u>dead</u>
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My father Isaac Caven was one half blood my grand father Caesar Caven was a full blood Cherokee Indian*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Isaac Caven

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

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J. F. Hill
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Lindsey Peasley* and *George Jones*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Isaac Caven*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Lindsey Peasley
George Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

, 190

J. F. Hill
Notary Public

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Appln. No. 20324.

March 17, 1908.

Isaac Cowen,

Gillsville, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled as Eastern Cherokees? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

RECORDED.

Chief Clerk.

RST/SLO.

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7.5.9.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 3 1908
No. 20324.

OSCAR BROWN
ATTORNEY AT LAW

RT

Homer, Ga. March 31st 1908.

Mr. Union Miller
Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

Appln no. 20324

Replying to your inquiry
of March 17th instant - I will say I can
give reasons for my parents and grand
parents not enrolling with the government.

My grand father, who was one half
Cherokee Indian was a slave.

I was a slave. All my brothers
and sisters were slaves.

My grand father Britton was a slave
My grand mother who was one half
Cherokee Indian was a slave.

Yours Truly
Isaac Brown
Ashland
Ga.

No. 20325.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *John Simmons* and *X* children.

Residence: *Hillingsworth Ga.*

Reasons: *Brother of # 11948.*

No. 20325-

Name John Sumner

With No. 11948

Remarks:

No. 20325

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Simmons John

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

*Oscar Brown, Wm.
Homer, Ga*

20325

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: John Simmons
Indian name: John Marn
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: Hollingsworth
4. County: Banks
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: 1847 31st July Habersham Co.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: By my grand mother Anna Marn being a full blood Cherokee Indian
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Hester Simmons aged fifty five years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Nellis Simmons
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Cathrine Simmons
Indian name: Cathrine Marn
Maiden name: Cathrine Smith
11. Where were they born?
Father: South Carolina
Mother: Call County
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Habersham County Ga
Mother: Habersham County Ga
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: 1873 Mother: 1901

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ransom O. Simmons	March 15 th 1841	
(2)	Martha Simmons	Aug 17 th 1846	dead
(3)	Richard Simmons	1852	
(4)	Synthia Brown	1864	dead
(5)	Lydia Kelly	1856	Living
(6)	Robert Simmons	1858	Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
John Simmons	Samuel Smith
Elizabeth Simmons	Elsie Smith

17. Where were they born? Gwinnett County, Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Habersham County, Georgia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Samuel Smith
Indian name: Samuel Mann dead
Residence: _____

(2) English name: Ellen Smith dead
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(3) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(4) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

By my
grand mother Anna Math
being a full blood Cherokee
Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John L. Simmons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

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J. D. Hill
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Ransom O. Simmons

and

Bud L. Simmons

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with John Simmons, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

R. O. Simmons

Bud L. Simmons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

, 190

J. D. Hill
Notary Public

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No. 20326
Name Lindsey Tensley and X children. Action: Refused
Residence: Gillesville, Ga.

Reasons:

Applicant was a slave
(see letter)

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No. 20326.

Reject 2

Name Lindsay Pashy

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Slaves
See letter

Awaiting reply to letter.

✓
No. 20326

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lindsay Leasley

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

*Osage Brown, Ark.
Homer, Ga.*

20326

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Lindsay Peasly*
Indian name: *Lindsay Allen*
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: *Gillesville*
4. County: *Banks*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *1818. at Elberton*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately; *My grand father as my mother's side, Ned Allen was a full blood Cherokee Indian*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Julia Peasly aged ninety years old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Sumner Allen*
Indian name: *Sumner Allen*
Mother—English name: *Milie Allen*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Milie Allen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Elbert County Ga*
Mother: *Elbert County Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Elbert County Ga*
Mother: *Elbert County Ga*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *1877* Mother: *1878*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Abram Teasley	1812	dead
(2)	Richmond H. H. H.	1878	dead
(3)	Alfred Teasley	1878	dead
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ind. Allen

17. Where were they born? Elbert County

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Elbert County Ga.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Charlotte Allen
Indian name: Charlotte Allen
Residence: dead

(2) English name: Caroline Allen
Indian name: Caroline Allen
Residence: dead

(3) English name: Lundy Allen
Indian name: Lindy Allen
Residence: dead

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835; *My mother Millie Allen, was one half and my grand father Ned was a full blood Cherokee Indian*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Lindsay Peasly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26th* day of *March*, 190*6*

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. D. Hice
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Isaac Caven* and *George Jones*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Lindsay Peasly*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be; and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Isaac Caven
George Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *March*, 190*6*.

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. D. Hice
Notary Public.

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Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An orally replied will be associated.

to establish your right to share in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable regarding

a slave state in whom you were owned?

2. Were you and your ancestors slaves? If you were

ever enslaved?

3. Were you, your parents and your grandparents?

4. The names of your grandparents on both sides

information required is:

Your claim cannot be further considered. The additional

therefore, you can furnish us with additional information

strictly no information concerning your ancestors. Unless

claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees' complaints pre-

vention in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of

The application which you have filed for partition

Sir:

Gilliamite, Ga.

Wingard Lee, Jr.

Atlanta, Mo. 30330.

March 18, 1908.

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Appln. No. 20326.

March 18, 1908.

Lindsay Teasley,

Gillsville, Ga.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, contains practically no information concerning your ancestors. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Were you, your parents and your grandparents, ever enrolled?
3. Were you and your ancestors slaves? If you were a slave state by whom you were owned?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

#50356

File

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 26 1908
No. 20326.

20326

Gillsville, Ga.

Mar 24

1908

Dear Sir FSI

in reply to your letter
dated Mar 18th 1908 asking
for additional information
in regards to my self and
Grand Parents on both side
my Grand^{father} was David Talon
Grand Mother Polly Dams
he inoled about 1850, & was
my self a slave & was owned
by John E Teasley who died
about 20 years ago, if you
doubt this statement I refer
you to Mr. Scott Adams
of this place

yours truly

L. Teasley

21 Bx 71

No. 20327

Action: Reject

Name Manda J. Willson and 5 children. Residence: Maysville, Ga.

Reasons:

Ancestors were not enrolled. Applicant fails to establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.

Misc. test. p. 1258.

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No. 24327 ^{Field} Banks Co. Ga

Name Manda J. Wilson

With No.

Remarks:

Wayssville
Field, Ga.

Awaiting reply to letter.

Supl.

No. 20327

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mauda J. Miller

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokees by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 1906.
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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 30 1907

No.

20327

*Oscar Brown, Atty.
Homer, Ga.*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Manda Jane Millson

Indian name:

Manda Jane Taylor

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

Mayville

4. County:

Banks

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

first day of April 1872 Hall County Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

By my grand father
Jack Taylor being a full blood Cherokee
Indian

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

B. A. Millson aged

thirty eight years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Barto Taylor

Indian name:

Barto Taylor

Mother—English name:

Lucinda Jones

Indian name:

Lucinda Moore

Maiden name:

Lucinda Jones

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Rabun County Ga

Mother:

Rabun County Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Forsyth County Ga

Mother:

Forsyth County Ga

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1873

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Samuel Taylor</u>	<u>1881</u>	<u>1894</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Jack Taylor</u>	<u>Abram Jones</u>
<u>Pallie Taylor</u>	<u>Bruce Jones</u>

17. Where were they born? Greenville SC

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gordon County Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Doyle Taylor</u>	Indian name: <u>Doyle Taylor</u>	Residence: <u>Rabun County</u>	<u>dead</u>
(2)	English name: <u>John Taylor</u>	Indian name: <u>John Taylor</u>	Residence: <u>Rabun County</u>	<u>dead</u>
(3)	English name: <u>James Taylor</u>	Indian name: <u>James Taylor</u>	Residence: <u>Rabun County Ga</u>	<u>dead</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Manda Taylor</u>	Indian name: <u>Manda Taylor</u>	Residence: <u>Rabun County</u>	<u>dead</u>
(5)	English name: <u>Mary Taylor</u>	Indian name: <u>Mary Taylor</u>	Residence: <u>Rabun County Ga</u>	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

*My grand
father Jacob Taylor was a full
blood Cherokee Indian*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Manda Jane Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

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J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Oscar Benn

and

B. A. Wilson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Manda Jane Wilson*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *5* years and *20* years,

respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and

that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Oscar Benn

B. A. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

, 190

J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

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foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Oscar Brown

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Wilson

B. A. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of August, 1907.

J. F. Kelsey
Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

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No. 28314

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Amanda Wilson

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 9 1907

No. _____

Homer, Ga.

Oscar Brown
Atty

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. _____

1. State your full name: Manda Hillson
2. Residence and post office: Mayville Ga
3. County: Bartow
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: May 1872
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: B. A. Hillson 34 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Newton Hillson</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Sept. 8th 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Edna Hillson</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Feb. 14 1890</u>
(3)	<u>Millie Hillson</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Mar 2 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Olana May Hillson</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>April 13 1896-</u>
(5)	<u>Dwight Hillson</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>May 5th 1906.</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Manda Hillson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of August 1907.

W. F. Hillson
Notary Public.

My Commission expires _____

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. A. Wilson and J. M. Wilson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Manda Wilson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Oscar Brown

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Wilson
B. A. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of August, 1907.

W. F. Hickey
Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

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No.

28314

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Manda Wilson

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906

COURT OF CLAIMS	
EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
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No.	

Almon, Ga.

Oscar Brown
Atty

Appln. No. 25 20327.

Lucinda Owens,-- being duly sworn,
deposes and says:

My name is Lucinda Owens. I am 57 years old. I live in Banks Co. I have lived practically all my life in Ga. Amanda Jane Wilson and Eliza Tanksley are my daughter and my niece. They claim through my grandmother. I was born in 1851. I was not enrolled. I was born in Forsythe Co. I claim Indian blood through my father's mother. My father's name was Abraham Jones. He lived in Ga. I don't know whether he was enrolled. I never heard him say that he got any money. He never lived with the Indians as an Indian. His mother's name was Elizabeth Womack. She was a half-breed Cherokee. She came from Spartansburg, S. C. I don't know whether she was ever enrolled. I never heard her say anything about the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846. We lived way back in the mountains and I think that was the reason they were not enrolled. My mother's name was Sabrina Moore. She claimed to be half-Cherokee Indian. My mother lived in Forsythe Co. in 1851. My mother and her people hid when the Indians were driven out. They never visited the Indians much. My mother's mother's name was Nellie Muckles. My people were always considered as white and Indian. William Moore and Jerry Moore were brothers of my mother. My father's brother William Jones and Isom Jones. My mother's brother William Moore lived in Raybun Co., Ga. all his life. Jerry lived in South Carolina. My mother's sister was Suanee or Serena Moore.

Lucinda Owens
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Maysville, Ga.,
this 9th day of July, 1908.

A. S. M.
Asst. to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 5 1908

No. 20327

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maysville. Pa

To the March the 23 1908
the court at claiming
my son Henry willson
was Born May the 5
1906 one son Roy willson
Died June the 15 1898
Manda willson

no 327

Mayssville Ga
March 20 1908
To the Court of Claims
as to my self & maida wilson
I didn't do at such a thing of
involvement why my ~~parent~~
Parents did not I cant tell
nor grand parents I dont
no they died when I was
small and my father
died when I was small
as for mother she cant
read and she did not
hear at such a thing
as for ancestors being
in sland they never
was

no 2

reasons
for claiming to share
in the fund

is my grate grand~~mother~~
mother she was a
muckel Be for she was
married she was $\frac{1}{2}$ or $\frac{3}{4}$
Cherokee indian

my grand father ^{name} Jack Taylor
he was part Cherokee
indian

my grate grate grand
father was William muckel
he was $\frac{7}{8}$ or $\frac{1}{2}$ blooded
he died in 1804

my grand mother ^{muckel} died
in 1848 they lived in
Graham County Ga

no 3

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 20327

Elisa Bell Evans she
was my Grate Grand
mother part Indian a Bart
she raised in South
Carolina she died in the
year 1872

Mrs. Manda Willson
Sent for letters

20327

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REC'D

Chief Clerk

Special Commissioner

Very respectfully,

Your truly will be appreciated.

Participate.

Information obtainable pending to establish your right to
you are entitled to share in this fund, and have an other

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that

were any of your ancestors slaves.

Your parents and your grandparents were never enrolled.

In favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you

the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation in

Indemnity:

Seaville, Ga.

Amends Gene Wilson

Appl. No. 20322

March 18, 1903

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Appln. No. 20327.

March 18, 1908.

Amanda Jane Wilson,
Maysville, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund, and give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to participate.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FSE/ELO.

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CA

No. 20328 Action: Rejected
Name Joe Jones and X children. Residence: Gillesville, Va.
Reasons: Father of applicant was
born out of Cherokee domain
never was recalled. Was
not a party to treaties of
1835-6-1846. (Probably a slave)

No. 20328. Field: ?

Name Joe Jones. Bank Co. Ga.

With No.

Remarks:

Notified to appear
but failed to do so.
Letter July 21. 08

Awaiting reply to letter.

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20328
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joe Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1903.
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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec MAR 30 1907

No.

Oscar Brown Army
Armer. Ga.

20328

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Joan Jones</u>	<u>1849</u>	<u>dead</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Jones</u>	<u>1828</u>	<u>dead</u>
(3)	<u>John White</u>	<u>1833</u>	<u>dead</u>
(4)	<u>Elsie Jones</u>	<u>1847</u>	<u>dead</u>
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

17. Where were they born?

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(2)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(3)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(4)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

By my father Sol Jones being a full blood Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claim.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Joe Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

25

day of

March, 1907

My commission expires

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J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Lindsey Peasley

and

Isaac Curren

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with

Joe Jones

, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Lindsey Peasley

Isaac Curren

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

25

day of

March, 1907

My commission expires

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J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 3 1909
No. 20328

kind
notice
C/O

Mr. Joseph Jones.
Castanella. Ga.

R.H.D. #2.

May 24 1909

Mr. Union Miller

Special Commissioner

I ask you as a friend to write
me some news about the
claims you can tell me
By this time and I hope you
have good news for me
please answer this soon

yours. J. Jones.

Joseph Jones.

App. No. 20328.

July 21, 1908.

Joe Jones,

Gillesville, Ga.

Sir:

Under date of March 18, 1908, we wrote you in regard to your Eastern Cherokee application, and recently we notified you to appear before a representative of this office at Maysville, Georgia, to give testimony in the matter of your claim, but we have not received a response to either communication. Unless, therefore, you can furnish the information desired below, your application will be rejected:

1. State the names of your grandparents on both sides, and the line of descent through which you claim?
2. Why were your parents never enrolled?
3. Were your grandparents enrolled in 1835 and 1851? If so, state their names?
4. Were you, or your parents, or grandparents, slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking you are entitled to share in this fund. An early reply will be appreciated, referring to No.20328.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

ELO.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

4. Were you and your ancestors sisters?
3. Were any of your grandparents ever enrolled?
2. Why were you and your parents never enrolled?
1. The names of your grandparents on both sides.

Information requested is:

claim cannot be further considered. The additional information therefore, you can furnish additional information you wish no information concerning your ancestors. Unless.

Claims in favor of the Eastern Sheroes contains information in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of

The application which you have filed for review.

Sir:

Gillsville, Ge.

Joel Jones.

Appln. No. 30338.

March 18, 1908.

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Appln. No. 20328.

March 18, 1908.

Joel Jones,

Gillsville, Ga.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestors. Unless, therefore, you can furnish additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you and your parents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your grandparents ever enrolled?
4. Were you and your ancestors slaves?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/MLD.

Appln. No. 20328.

March 18, 1908.

Joel Jones,

Gillsville, Ga.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestors. Unless, therefore, you can furnish additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you and your parents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your grandparents ever enrolled?
4. Were you and your ancestors slaves?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk

FST/HLO.

No. 20329.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Martha Stephens* and *X* children.

Residence: *Maysville, Ga.*

Reasons:

Heir of 13870 and claims through the same source.

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No. 21329

Name Martha Stephens

With No. 13870

Remarks:

No. 20329

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Martha Stephens

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. RECEIVED MAR 30 1907 No.
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*Robert Brown, Atty.-
Homer, Ga.*

20329

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No. He drew too lots of land

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nancy Lynch	5 th day Aug 1826-	
(2)	John Miles	1827	
(3)	Minnie Morris	1827	
(4)	Eliza Swallen	1853	
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Miles	Moses Bryant
Minnie Miles	Nancy Bryant

17. Where were they born? Cherokee County Ga.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Elbert County Georgia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>George Payton</u>	<u>dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>George Bryant</u>	
	Residence: _____	
(2)	English name: <u>John Payton</u>	
	Indian name: <u>John Bryant</u>	<u>dead</u>
	Residence: _____	
(3)	English name: <u>William Payton</u>	<u>dead</u>
	Indian name: <u>William Bryant</u>	
	Residence: _____	
(4)	English name: <u>Moses Payton</u>	
	Indian name: <u>Moses Bryant</u>	
	Residence: _____	
(5)	English name: <u>Arch Payton</u>	
	Indian name: <u>Arch Bryant</u>	
	Residence: _____	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

My great
grand father was a full blood
Cherokee Indian (Moses Bryant)
My grand father was half.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Martha Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

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J. J. Hice

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Oscar Brown and
Johnnie Stephens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Martha Stephens, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Oscar Brown

Johnnie Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

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J. J. Hice

Notary Public.

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MAY 26 1909

No. 20329

send
notice
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May 24 = '09

Go! ory Bldy washing
D.C.

Dear Sir I would like
to hear what you have
done about the Indian
Appropriations as I have
put in my claim
a little over two
years ago and the
Govt. has nothing done
with it yet if the Govt
hasn't heard it yet
you please write soon

the when you thank
it will be paid out
to the people that
had put in there claim
for it

Martha Stephens
Gibbsville

R. F. A no 1

Boat 350

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Feb 10 1909.

Gillsville ga R F D. 1.

Box 35. A.

Dear Sir as i want to
make about my blame blank
is i havnt held from it in a
long time i want to No when
it is gain to be Paid out as i
am in head of mine i want
to No when it is gain to be
settled Please write and let me
No

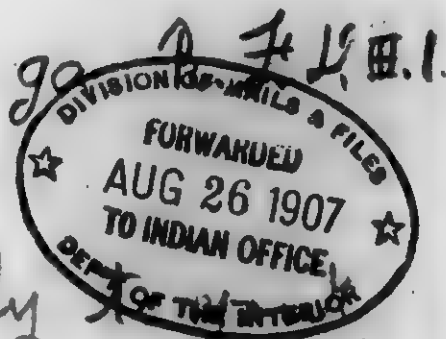
Martha Stephens

To Mr. Guin Miller

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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august 23. 1907



Dear Sir in reply to
letter I received yesterday
you said that you did not
find my claim blank I had
it first up at Kamek, Ga. some
time in March.

Edgar Brown. first it
for me and he said he would
send it all you please write
me if you ever get it
it, Martha, Stephens and
not Martha, Stewart. my
address is Martha, Stephens
Mayville Ga R. F. D. 1.

20329 Box 13.

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DEC 2 1907

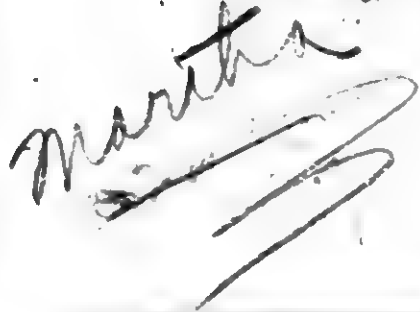
Nov 29 = 07

Dear Sir I take the
Pleasure of you & few
lines to find out
where the Indian
Bounty or Treaty
will be giving to
the Indian Kinn
People

I having heard from
it send it closed
last August 31 = 07
you write me where
it will be distributed
out write by Return
mail

Yours

C. D.

Martha


Truly

Stephens

Mayville Ct

R. F. D. 1 Box 13

*to the Commission
of Indian Affairs*

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mayville ya R. F. D. 1. Box 13

Dear Sir as Mr Matline
said i would get a healing
from my testimonial when
he sent it in as i havnt got
no healing from you yet
i thought i would write
you and find out whether
my blood and testimonial
was white or not i would
like for you to write me
whether i was to gain to
speak in the appropation

at nat In write me
down
harr. Martha. Stephens
Ja Mr. Guin. Miller

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July 12 19-9

Gillville ga

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Box 39 @

I am requested to write
to you in regard to my
blame block and tell you why
my name and other relatives
wasnt enrolled you look in
the Roll at 35 or 36 and I think
you will find my grand father
and my grand mother names
enrolled as they claimed too
lots of government land in
99 or 36 there names was
Masab and Betty Peyton
there indian name is Dyanit
and my mother was admitted
in 91 with the B. P. Association
and wanted able to go no
where and no one never came
to her house to enroll her name

As you see she didnt have
the chance of intalling her
name so i think i am intitled
shear as well as the others
and i think my ^{name} intalled in
1900

if this letter is very good
in helping me please let me
on a soon my english name
is Martha Stephens my indian
name is Markha Bryant

to the clerk of the court
at the bar

Wm. Martha Stephens

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Feb 21 1901

Gillsville ga

H. F. V. B. I.

Dear Sir i will rite you in ^{But} 39.00
regard to the application as
i would like to na when you
are a gain to pay it out as i
think i ought to share with
the others weather i do or
not if you could see me
you could tell i am intitled
to some sh hit by my looks
if you ever seen a Indian
and i believe you will decide
with me if you are right
about hit i am old and
feeble and not able to work
and hit is my kind ma ill
money and i might have
some sh hit at the others
for all i have for this time
rite soon and i will na

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from Martha Stephens
to the Court of Claims

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. FEB 25 1910 No. 20379
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App. #20329.

August 29, 1907.

Martha Stephens,

R.F.D. No. 1, Box 13,

Maysville, Georgia.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of August 23, 1907, you are advised that your application has been received and placed on file.

You are further advised that if you have any minor children you should fill out the inclosed supplemental application blank and return to this office promptly.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

MLC.
1 inclosure.

No. 20330

Name Walter Barber and ☒ children. Residence Belton, Ga.

Action:

Refused

Reasons:

Applicant was a slave.

20330

No. 20330.

Reject

Name Walker Borders.

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Slave.
See letter

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20330

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Walter Borders

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the Decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec MAR 30 1907

No.

20330 *Oscar Brown, Ariz*
Ames, Ga

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Walter Borders

Indian name:

Walter Indian

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

Bellton

4. County:

Banks

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

July 1857

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

By my grand
father (Slave Indian) being a full
blood Cherokee Indian.

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Caroline Borders aged

forty years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Sam Hargraves (Master) slave

Indian name:

Sam Indian

Mother—English name:

Fannie Borders

Indian name:

Fannie Indian

Maiden name:

Fannie Borders

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Jackson County Ga

Mother:

Jackson County Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Jackson County Ga

Mother:

Jackson County Ga

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1870

Mother:

1869

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Cris Borders</u>	<u>1867</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
	<u>Have Indian</u>
	<u>Dooby Indian</u>

17. Where were they born? Jackson County Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jackson County Georgia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Fannie Borders</u>
	Indian name: <u>Fannie Indian</u>
	Residence: _____
(2)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(3)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(4)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My grand father on my mother's side was a full blood Cherokee Indian.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Walter B. Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

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J. J. Hice
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. R. Trimmer*

and

Luke Falkner

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Walter B. Sanders*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and *10* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. R. Trimmer
Luke Falkner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

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J. J. Hice
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That I have been

2 put in the Indian Claims Bill by the
21 act of the Congress of the U.S. & I
22 have been told that I have my name in it
23 at the County Seat of Bureau Co.

From your friend
Walter Borden

24 P.S. I was 10 years old
when it was set free.
We are very happy.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. MAR 26 1908 No. 20330.

Belton Ga Mar 24 08

Mr Union Miller

Dear Sir I Received your letter last
week now I find my self trying
to answer it.

I am inden my grand father
never was a slave

character inden.

he was a soul Blue inden.

my grand mother was a slave belong
ing to a Boider.

same my mother was a slave

I was Bored a slave. my father

was sold off from my mother when

he was a boy and sent off to alabama

he was a slave

my mother was Bored and Rased

in Jackson Co. near Commerce

that was she got his wife.

we all was slave till my grand

father and we had no chance to escape

we a Richard son Edg Cated

my grand mother died at my earliest

Recklection in slave times but my

mother was Bored. Belongin to the

man, Boider. my mother died when I

was 22 years of age. Sam Houston

in, in 14 miles from his Birth son Rased

the old set a Boider. Sam Rased in all

deaf why I go by the name Boider

is Boider's name and my name

and freedom. My Pease mother

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was on Ralee Be Cove my father was
Sole off from my Mother when I was
young on Boider's Rase. My
Mother died in five miles from
where she was born on Rase.
When I can remember that my grand
father went Round the Rase of Baske
out of Willer like all indeed did in
that time I have indeed
I put in my index Clame Bay the adire
of the Toderners of the Cat & Pay
once I'll let have my name in I'll let
at the County Seat of Baske & Co.

from your son
Walter Boider

#20 230.

P.S. I was 14 years old
when we was set free.
me and my Mother

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
Rec.	MAR 26 1908
No.	20330.

EST/STO.

Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully your right to participate in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable regarding to

extrajurisdiction. never enrolled. Was Dave Indian a slave?

mother was a slave? Why were you, your parents, and your

father of the Eastern Cherokees. Please state whether your

the fund arising from the deeds of the Court of Claims in

Relative to your application for participation in

Sir:

Belton, Ca.

Walter Borders.

Appn. No. 20230.

March 10, 1904.

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Appln. No. 20330.

March 18, 1908.

Walter Borders,

Bellton, Ga.

Sir:

#20330
Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether your mother was a slave? Why were you, your parents, and your grandparents, never enrolled? Was Dave Indian a slave?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

No.

20331

Action:

Refuted

Name

Wade Harris

and

X

children.

Residence:

Gillsville, Ga.

Reasons:

Applicant and parent
were slaves.

20331

No. 2033/...

Name Wade Harris

With No.

Remarks:

Reject James.

See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

✓
No. 20331

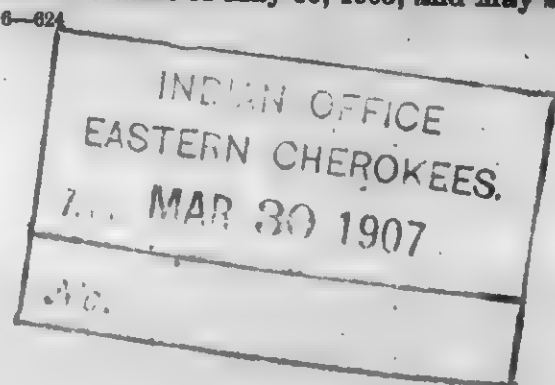
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wade Harris

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1904.



20331

*Oscar Brown, Atty.
Homer, Ga.*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Wade Harris

Indian name:

Wade Harris

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

Gillesville Ga.

4. County:

Banks

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

first day of Apr. 1857 Madison Co. Ga.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

By my grand mother
Fannie Harris full blood Cherokee
Indian, my father being one half

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Iris Harris, aged

29 years old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

John Harris,

Indian name:

John Harris

Mother—English name:

Parthenia Harris

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Parthenia Phankson

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Madison County Ga.

Mother:

Madison County Ga.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Madison County

Mother:

Madison County

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1878

Mother:

1879.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William Harris	1849	Living
(2)	Walt Harris	1853	Living
(3)	Crofford Harris	1855-	Living
(4)	Harrish Clark	1857	dead 1895-
(5)	Walt Harris	1859	Living
(6)	Thomas Harris	1861	Living
	Phil Harris	1863	dead

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Spencer Harris	Warren Phamson
Pamie Harris	Harrish Phamson

17. Where were they born? Madison County Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Madison County Georgia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Lee Harris dead 1888

Indian name: Lee Harris

Residence:

(2) English name: Lenny Harris

Indian name: Lenny Harris

Residence: Monroe Walton Co. Ga

(3) English name: Mary Johnson

Indian name: Mary Harris dead

Residence:

(4) English name: Nervy McMiller

Indian name: Nervy Harris dead

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: My grand
mother Fannie Harris being a full
blood Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My grand mother was a slave and
told the name Harris from her
master.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Wade Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. D. Hill
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George S. Rice and
Beverly Peaslee, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Wade Harris, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years,
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Beverly Peaslee
George S. Rice

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. D. Hill
Notary Public

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Washington D.C.

Mar. 24, 1908

U.S. Cart of Claims

Office of Special

Commissioner and

Building

Union Miller

Special Commissioner

By H.L. Crawford Chief

Clerk Dear Sir You

want to know why

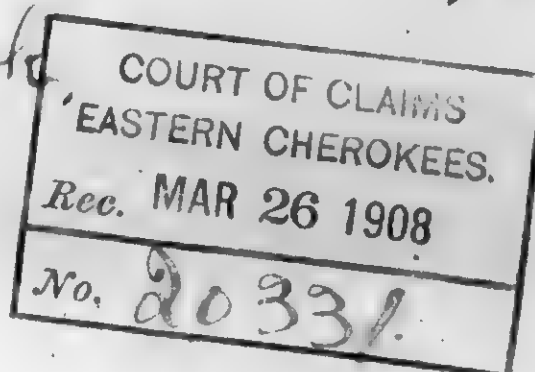
I am on the roll I

should be on the roll

if you find W.H.
Harris on the roll you
will find Wade Harris
W.H. Harris is Wade
Harris's Nephew
Why my Parent were
killed on the roll they were
were dead my Grand
Parents. my Father
died in 1867 my
Mother died in 1878 and
my Grandmother were an
Indian my Grandmother

were brought here from
Bedford Burg. Virginia.
She died back in slavery
my father and mother were
born slaves. I my
self were born slaves.
I were born in 1851
I came from my Grand
Mother side she were an
full blooded Indian
it seems that it should
be right that I should have
a part in that fund.
Wade Harris Hillsville
Ga.

Simon Miller Special
Commissioner By
H.L. Crawford, Chief
Clerk



Appln. No. 20331.

March 18., 1908.

Wade Harris,

Gillsville, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were you and any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund. Was your mother a slave?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

TST/ELO.

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No. 20332 - Action: *Reflected*
Name: *George Sheppard Rice* and *X* children. Residence: *Gallenville, Ga.*
Reasons: *Ancestors were slaves.*

No. 20332.

Reject

Name Geo. F. Rice

With No.

Remarks: Grouped here with
are nos. 20846, 38225,
38226, 38227, 38228,
38229, 38230, 38231,
38232. 20847 + 3476

Reject - Slaves.
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letters.

No. 20332

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Geo. D. Rice

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 25, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

*Oscar Brown, Atty
Homer, Ga*

20332

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: George Sheppard Rice

Indian name: George Sheppard Alexander

2. Residence:

Gillesville Ga

3. Town and post office:

Gillesville Ga

4. County:

Dawson County

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

22nd day of May 1876 Dawson Co. Ga.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: By being a grand

son of Levi Alexander who was a
full blood Cherokee Indian.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Alice Rice aged
thirty two years.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Singleton Rice

Indian name: Singleton Alexander

Mother—English name: Mary Jane Rice

Indian name: (Mary Jane Rice) none

Maiden name: Mary Jane Alexander

11. Where were they born?

Father: Jackson County Ga.

Mother: Forsyth County Ga.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Forsyth County Ga.

Mother: Forsyth County Ga.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alice Rice	1866	Living
(2)	Henris Rice	1868	Dead 1866
(3)	Carry Webb	1870	Living
(4)	Ophelia Petty	1872	Living
(5)	Emma Traylor	1874	Living
(6)	Bart. Alb. Rice	1878	Living
	William Rice	1880	Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Levi Alexander	Alec Green
Bethie Alexander	Abie G.

17. Where were they born? Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Forsyth County Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Henry Rice
Indian name: Henry Alexander
Residence: Albany

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name: Sydney Shuckland
Indian name: Green

Residence:

(4) English name: Parrots Green
Indian name: Green

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My grand
Father Sir Alexander was a full blood
Cherokee Indian, my father was
one half.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*My grand father was a slave and
took the English name of Alexander.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

George Sheppard Rice
his mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *March*, 190*7*.

My commission expires

, 190

J. J. Hill
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me, *Beverly Trask* (Cal) and
Wade Harris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *George Sheppard Rice*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years,
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Beverly Trask
Wade Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *March*, 190*7*.

My commission expires

, 190

J. J. Hill
Notary Public.

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Chief Clerk.

Deputy Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.
slaves.

entitled to share in this fund. Were any of your ancestors
state clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are
your parents' and your grandparents' were never enrolled.
in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. Please state why you
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims
Relative to your application for recognition

Sir:

Gillsville, Georgia.

George H. Rice.

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#20232

Appl. No. 50335.

March 18, 1908.

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Appln. No. 20332.

March 18, 1908.

George R. Rice,
Gillsville, Georgia.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents, and your grandparents, were never enrolled.
State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are
entitled to share in this fund. Were any of your ancestors
slaves?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

#20332

Cl.
No.
C.

No. 20333

Action: Reject

Name G. J. Gaines

and X children.

Residence: Maysville, Ga.

Reasons:

Ancestors not on rolls. Applicant fails to establish genuine
connection with Cherokee Tribe.

Misc. test. p. 1260.

Field
No. 20333. Banks Co., Ga.
Name G. J. Gaines.
With No.

Remarks:

Rep File

Field, Waycross
Ga.

Answering reply to letter.

✓ *Supl.*

→ No. 20333

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

A. J. Gannon

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

*Oscar Brown, my
Homer Ga.*

20333

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

By my grand father
Bill Watts, being a full blood Cherokee
Indian. My mother (the daughter of Bill
Watts) was one half Indian.

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Ann Gaines	1843	1902
(2)	John Gaines	1844	1863
(3)	Henry Gaines	1842	1900
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Gaines	Bill Watts
Betsy Gaines	Mary Ann Watts

17. Where were they born? Rabun County Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Rabun County Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	Will Watts	dead
	Indian name:	Will Watts	
	Residence:	Clayton Ga	
(2)	English name:	Jack Watts	dead
	Indian name:	Jack Watts	
	Residence:	Clayton Ga	
(3)	English name:	James Watts	dead
	Indian name:	James Watts	
	Residence:	Clayton Ga	
(4)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		
(5)	English name:		
	Indian name:		
	Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: My name was taken by - Chastee

an Indian agent after the Civil war in
Clayton Ga

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

My grand father of my mothers side was
a full blood Cherokee Indian, my
mother, daughter of Bill Watts, was one
half Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

G. J. Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

, 190

J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Oscar Brown and

O. J. Harris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with G. J. Harris, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Oscar Brown

O. J. Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

, 190

J. J. Hill

Notary Public.

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respectively, and know _____ to be the identical person _____ represents _____ to be, and that

on May 28, 1906, _____ had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by

_____ are true, and they have no interest whatever in _____ claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W B Engle

W H Mearley

Mrs Mary C. Garrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907.

Grand Children

Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190 _____.

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*Wife of # 20333-
2-Children.*

No. *20333*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Martha Gaines
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JUL 3 1907 No.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Oway Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. Murtha Gaines

1. State your full name: the wife of J. J. Gaines
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee
3. County: Banks
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: 12 years old
6. Are you married? a daughter of 9 years old
7. Name and age of wife or husband: no they are not married
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906: 13

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Lane</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Lane</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no in Cherokee

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

W. S. Brock J. M. Hill

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. J. Gaines Eastern Cherokee
(Signature) Murtha Gaines

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907.

My Commission expires _____, 1907.

This is my 2 minor
Children

J. J. Gaines and wife Martha
M. Gaines

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W L Brock and

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with three children who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known them for three years and three years, respectively, and know them to be the identical person they represents them to be, and that

on May 28, 1906, W L Brock had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by them are true, and they have no interest whatever in their claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W B English B H Malley
Mrs Mary A Vandiver Thursing

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Grand Children day of June, 1907.

Grand Children
Notary Public.

My commission expires 190.

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Wife of # 20333-
2 - Children.

No. 20333

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Martha Vandiver

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
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No.

a daughter 12 years old
my husband G. J. Gaines
done & lived up his blank
and sent it in also my
mother have lived up her
blank and sent it in

Mrs Mary C. Vancliper
is my mother
Mr G. J.

Gaines is
my husband
and my not
my child
and my self

get a penition
at once and tell us Will this
blank accept of it. Tell me
my - loves truly
Mrs Mother Gaines the wife
of Mr G. J. Gaines

William Luce
my son
Mary Luce
My daughter
Will & Love Washing to
Luce from you soon

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

COURT OF CLAIMS
APPLICATION
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 19 1907
No. 20333A

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.
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21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

June 10th
Dear Sir I wish to say a word
to you My dear old mother
is blind and in a helpless
condition 9 years old she
has been blind 29 years

REMARKS. (Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I trust that Mrs. Blank is
improved of late needs
help so bad and my father is dead
Mrs. Martha Guiney the daughter
of Mr. H. P. and Mrs. Mary A. Sandiker

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

Yours truly

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906.

My commission expires

_____, 190

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me _____ and
_____, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with _____, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known _____ for _____ years and _____ years,
respectively, and know _____ to be the identical person _____ represents _____ to be, and
that the statements made by _____ are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in _____ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1906.

My commission expires

_____, 190

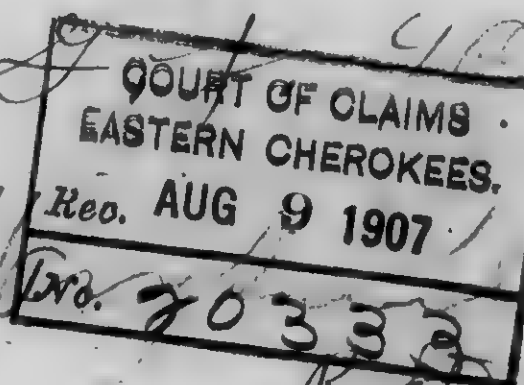
Notary Public.

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to the Indian
Affairs
Washington
D. C.
Col. Brown
of home of
had up fishing
out they felt
by school under
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and claim

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Notated
m.c.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 6 1909
No. 20333

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Homer Ga 7/31/09
Mr Junior Miller

Dear Sir

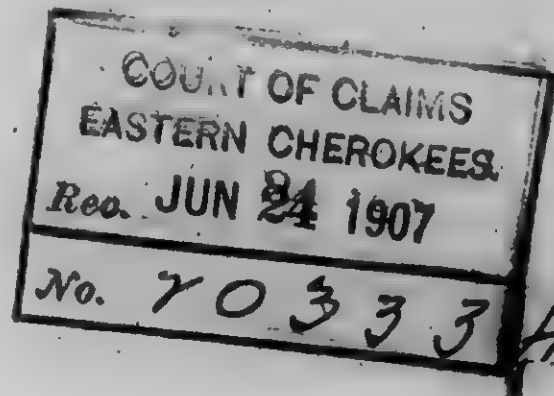
Your rec in regard to my
Claim No 20333 and in
reply to your inquiry to
my ancestors living in 1853
was my mother Hatty wats
was her maiden name & was
living Clayton Ga Robur
eo my father died in 1845
and was living at same
place Gains was English
name wats was Indian name
I had trial in courts at
Mayville Ga

Levi Rogers Was my
Witness at Mays Vile
My Mother's name
Was Katy Watts slave
Was a slave before she
slave Was a living in
1851 slave Was over a
hundred years old
When she died
J. J. Gaines ^{age} 66 or 67
Mays Vile Ga

Mayville Ga

I am the
the commissioner

Dear sir I sent
myself to chop
you a few times
asking you to see
after my Cherokee
Indian blank at so.
the blank that I
sent in for my
wife and children
at so Mrs Mary
Cherokee Indian
blank please write
me all they
improved of address
your mail to
Mayville Ga
your friend
G J Gaines



Recpt. for
6/25/07

G J Gaines
Mayville Ga
20333-

App. #20333.

June 21, 1907.

Mrs. Mattie Gaines,
Maysville,
Georgia.

Madam:-

Your letter of recent date, relative to the application of your husband, G. J. Gaines, is at hand.

You are advised that if you have minor children your husband should fill out the inclosed supplemental application and return to this office.

If you are also an Eastern Cherokee, as stated in your letter, you should file an application. An application blank is inclosed, herewith, in case you should desire to file a claim.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

2 inclosures.

Appln. No. 20333.

G. J. Gaines, ----- being duly sworn, deposes,
and says:

My name is G. J. Gaines. I am 64 years old. I have always lived in Georgia. My mother claimed 3/4 Indian blood. She said Cherokee. A man by the name of Chasteen took our names about 25 or 30 years ago. He claimed to be an Indian Agent. I don't know why I was not enrolled except that I did not know anything about it. The Indians used to come to our house and I have been to their meetings. My mother was Katy Watts, and she married Gaines. My mother was quite old when she died, - about 120 years old. She lived in Rayburn Co., Ga., in 1851. She was not enrolled that I know of. I never saw my mother's father and mother. Her father was Bill Watts. I don't remember whether my grandfather Watts had any brothers and sisters. I don't know where he lived. I don't know whether he ever left this country or not. I don't know whether he lived with the Indians or not. I don't remember ever hearing whether he took part in the meetings of the Indians or not.

G J x Gaines
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Maysville, Ga.,
this 9th day of July, 1908.

ASm
Asst. to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 25 1908

No. 20333.

hanks Co waysville Ga

Mar the 23 1908

Mr Quonmiller

Dear Sir, I received
your letter in due
time Was glad to hear
from you. I was en-
rolled in Wakeham
Co before Chastee
my mother was en-
rolled the same time
Katy Wats 25 or 30 years
ago Chastee was in
our section taking the
names of the eastern
Cherokees and I have
good reasons to know
that I have a share
in the fund you are
writing about
Yours truly
J J Gainer

no 333

832/210.

Chief Clerk.

St.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

An early reply will be appreciated.

You are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
were you and your ancestors slaves.

Your parents and your grandparents were never enrolled
in favor of the Western Cherokees. Please state why you
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims

relative to your application for participation
are:

Waverly, Ge.

G. W. Gaines.

Appl. No. 50323.

March 18, 1903.

#20323.

W. S. K.

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Appln. No. 20323.

March 18, 1908.

G. J. Gaines,

Maysville, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were you and your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

#20323

No. 20334 Action: Refected
Name Katie Williams and X children Residence: Hill City, Tenn
Reasons: for minor child John Williams

Ancestors of applicant were
slaves.

Reject *

No. 20334

Name Kate Williams

With No.

Remarks: Grouped with

are Nos. 20346, 20347,

20349, 20350, 20351,

20363, 20414, 20418,

20570, 20579, 20656,

20413

Reject - Slaves
See letters

Think these people
were slaves. See letter
in #20350

H. S. L.

Awaiting reply to letters.

20334

Rec

20570.

No. 20334

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Katie Williams
For
minor child John

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec MAR 30 1907 No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20334

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Katie Williams for minor child John Williams*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Hill City

3. Town and post office:

" "

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

The child was born May 13th 1889 Chattooga Co Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim through his mother and Grand mother

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Taylor Knox

Indian name:

I had the child's name changed from Knox to Williams by Court decree

Mother—English name:

Katie Williams

Indian name:

Changed from Knox also by Court

Maiden name:

Katie Williams

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Chattooga Co Ga

Mother:

"

"

"

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Not living in 1851

Mother:

"

"

"

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Did not know

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>His Brothers & sisters are</u>		
(2)	<u>Minnie Williams</u>	<u>Jan 13 1896</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Richard Knox</u>	<u>William Williams</u>
<u>Chancy</u>	<u>Adaline</u>

17. Where were they born? Knoxes in Gainsville Ala Wm Williams
in N.C. Adaline Williams Bartow Co Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Knoxes in Gainsville
Ala Williams in Catawba Co Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father side

(1) English name:	<u>George Knox</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Rome Ga</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Thomas Knox</u>
Indian name:	<u>Died 10 years ago</u>
Residence:	
(3) English name:	<u>Buster Knox</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Rome Ga</u>
(4) English name:	<u>I Mary Knox</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Summersville Ga</u>
(5) English name:	<u>Belle Covington</u>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<u>Chickamauga Ga</u>

Mother side

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

Glover Williams Res Hill City, Ga
Williams " " Dec 1888.
Oscar Williams " " 1898
Elyde " " 1884
Cherry " " 1907
Joseph

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Katie Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Adaline Williams and Joseph Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Katie Williams, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 36 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Marcellie Williams
Sally Aug.

Adaline Williams
Joe Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 30 1908
No. 20334.

Full City.

Memorandum

For Sir
The above named persons
were never
married.
I am the daughter
daughter and she is John W.
grandmother and Adeline has
a slave, and the
and the
and the
and the

Yours truly
Adeline

Appln no 20334.

WAT/NO.

Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,
You will be apprised.

Give you other information pertaining to
of his ancestors slaves.
the parents and grandparents were never enrolled.
on behalf of John Williams, your child. Please state why
relative to the objection which you have filed
begin:

Will City, Tenn.
Kath Williams.

WAT/NO. No. 50334.

March 16, 1908.

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Appln. No. 20334.

March 18, 1908.

Katy Williams.

Hill City, Tenn.

Madam:

20334
Relative to the application which you have filed
on behalf of John Williams, your child, please state why
the parents and grandparents were never enrolled? Were any
of his ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your son's right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

No. 90335

Action:

Rejet

Name

Mary White

and

children.

Residence:

East Chattanooga, Tenn.

Reasons:

Applicant fails to show any genuine connection with the Eastern Christians. No ancestor ever enrolled. No ancestor a party to the treaties of 1825-36-46.

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No. 20335 ^{Field} Chattanooga, Hamilton Co. Tenn.

Name Mary White.

With No.

Remarks:

Failed to appear at
Chattanooga, June 18,
1908.

Awaiting reply to letter.

✓
20335
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary White

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. MAR 30 1907 No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20335

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Mary White nee Anderson*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Missionary Ridge*
3. Town and post office: *East Chattanooga R*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *24th May, 1869. Cobb Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim for my Indian blood through my mother Caroline Poole nee Jordan*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Miniam White, 18 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Joseph Anderson*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Caroline Poole*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Caroline Jordan*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *I think in S C*
Mother: *Petersburg Va*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Atlanta Ga*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 17 yrs ago* Mother: *died 17 yrs ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Sallie Anderson	don't know	died long ago
(2)	Adam Poole 1/2 bro	"	"
(3)	Emmitt " 1/2 "	"	"
(4)	Mattie Poole 1/2 sister	"	"
(5)	Francis " 1/2 "	"	"
(6)	Saul " 1/2 Bro	"	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Richard Anderson	Daniel Jordan
Mary "	Julia "

17. Where were they born? *The Jordans were born in Petersburg or some where in S.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Jordans lived in Cobb Co. Ga Petersburg Va*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *no uncles and aunts on my mother's*
Indian name: *side*
Residence:

Father's side (2) English name: *Clarrissa Jane nee Anderson*
Indian name:
Residence:

(3) English name:
Indian name:
Residence:

(4) English name:
Indian name:
Residence:

(5) English name:
Indian name:
Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Mary White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Mich, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Minnard White and Auna Hightower, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary White, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Geo B Haynes

Elizabeth H Haynes

Signatures of witnesses.

Minnard White

Auna Hightower

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Mich, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. June 11, 1908.

Application No. 20335 .

Mary White,

E. Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that

A. S. Marine

one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Chattanooga, Tenn.

on Thursday, June 18th, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry ^{of} at the Clerk, U.S. Court, Post Office Bldg., Chattanooga. ~~Hotel.~~

Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

332/310.

Chief Clerk.

LA

Social Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

An early reply will be appreciated.

You are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that

were any of your ancestors slaves.

Your parents and your grandparents were never employed

in favor of the Master Cherokees. Please state why you.

in the fund arising from the grant of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation

Wagon:

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Appl. No. 30832.

March 16, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20335.

March 18, 1908.

Mary White,

Missionary Ridge, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

#50335

File

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Re MAY 27 1908
No 20335

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Mary White,

East Chattanooga,

Tennessee.



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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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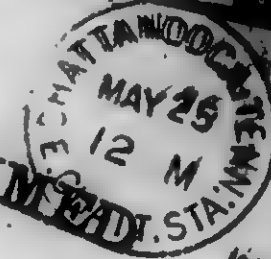


Mary White,

East Chattanooga,

Tennessee.

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No. 20336

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Elizabeth F. Haynes* and *1* children. Residence: *Highland Park Station*
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Reasons:

Wife of #664 and claims this same name.

20336

No. 20336
Name Elizabeth Haynes
With No. 664

Remarks:

No. 20336

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth F. Haynes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec MAR 30 1907

No.

E. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20336

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Elizabeth T. Haynes*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Highland Park Sta*
3. Town and post office: *Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 27th 1875 - Miser Sta Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *George B Haynes*
Aged 34 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Theophilus L. DeLozier*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Samantha E. DeLozier*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Samantha E. Spillman*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In North Carolina*
Mother: *Blount Co. Tenn*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *In North Carolina*
Mother: *Blount Co. Tennessee*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Nov 15th 1901* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Charles E. DeLozier	Aug 25 1865	Living
(2)	Marcus L.	" Feb 21 1870	"
(3)	John T.	" Nov 8 1872	"
(4)	Dora B. Broomfield	May 23 1878	"
(5)	George W. DeLozier	Feb 28 1882	"
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
— <i>DeLozier</i>	— <i>Charles Spillman</i>
— "	— <i>Terriba</i>

17. Where were they born? *The DeLoziers in N.B. & the Spillmans in N.B.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *DeLoziers in N.B. Spillmans in Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Truckee side	(1) English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
	<i>Elizabeth Constance</i>		<i>North Carolina</i>
Mother's side	(2) English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
	<i>Marion Spillman</i>		<i>East Tennessee</i>
	(3) English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
	<i>Belle Tally</i>		<i>County Kan</i>
	(4) English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
	<i>Eliza Cook</i>		<i>In N.B.</i>
	(5) English name:	Indian name:	Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I think not*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Elizabeth F. Haynes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

26th

day of

March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

George B. Haynes

and

Thomas B. Haynes

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with

Elizabeth F. Haynes

who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known

her

for

14

years and

10

years,

respectively, and know

her

to be the identical person

she

represents

herself

to be, and

that the statements made by

her

are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in

her

claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

George B. Haynes

T. B. Haynes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

26th

day of

March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20337
Name Minnie B. Wofford and X children. Action: Refuted
Residence: Thipton, Ga.

Reasons:

The ancestors of applicant
were slaves.

20337

No. 20337 Reject
Name Minnie B. Westfield
With No. 20338

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 20339, 20341.

Reject - Slaves.
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20337

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Minie B. Vestfield
Minie B. Vestfield

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 19, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec MAR 30 1907

No.

LB JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20337

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My father.

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I think not*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William Gray	May 28 1874	Living
(2)	Lucinda Scott	July 15 1877	"
(3)	Frank Gray	Feb 19 1884	"
(4)	Ethel	Mar 14 1886	"
(5)	Joseph	" 1888	"
(6)	James	Dec 24 1889	"
(7)	William	Jan 9 1891	"
(8)	Martha	Jan 9 1893	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Dont know	Newton Russell
Annie Gray	Dickey

17. Where were they born? *Annie Gray in Mo. Dont know as to the Russells*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Annie Gray in Murray Co Ga Dont know as to the Russells*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

(1) English name: *Gracey Adams*
Indian name: *Died 8 years ago*
Residence:

(2) English name: *Sally Taliver*
Indian name: *Died 20 years ago*
Residence:

(3) English name: *Joseph Gray*
Indian name:
Residence: *St. Elmo Tenn*

(4) English name: *Mary Beason*
Indian name:
Residence: *St. Elmo Tenn*

Mother's side

(5) English name: *Berry Russell*
Indian name:
Residence: *Rome Ga*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

Annie Boyles, East Chattanooga Tennessee
Ellen Gascher Cleveland Tenn

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Minie B. Westfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *James Westfield* and *Lucy Scott*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Minnie B. Westfield*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 17 years and 20 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. P. Westfield

Lucy Scott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 22 1908

No. 20337.

Chattanooga, Tenn. 8/20/08
#310. West Missionary Ave.
N.B. (my former address was at
Flintstone, Walker Co. Ga.)

Messrs. Mr. Guion Miller Sp't (Comr
and W. L. Crawford. C. Clerk.
Of The Eastern Cherokee Enrollment
#601 O'Leary Building
Washington, D.C.

My dear Sirs.

My appl'n No. is 20337

Now having had considerable delay in
reading and aneq to yours of March 18th 08

I will do so, just now on
the 2nd page of this letter, & date.

and I trust it will give you
all the Court satisfaction in regard
to my claim on file.

and I will give some information
in my remarks on the
3rd page.

2nd

8/20/08

Messrs. of the Court, Washington, D.C.,
" S. Miller. ~~Ex~~ W.L. Crawford.

My name and claim no. viz.
Mrs. Minnie B. Westfield, appln 20337

viz- I, my self, never had put in any
claim or application ^{before} was waiting on Father &
others and thinking too, that I would have
to go to the Ex Try to inherit any benefit.

And my
Father, Wm. Esau Gray, have written hereto-
fore to S.I. in regards to his claim &
the ass. was 2. He, would have to move on (come
out there in ^{order} to receive anything,
and he made appln as above name stands
so he didnt & have never gone there yet,
and my Grand mother

"Aricka" Gray, I cant say much
about her, I will say that ~~was~~ she was
a slave of Mr. Bob Gray & Olina Gray,
and if Enrolled, why her maiden name
was Aricka Ruth.

3rd

8/20/08

I suppose heres where the trouble
have been in the real Indian name.
Viz: My Father: Wm Esau Gray and my
Grand mother Anica Ruth (Gray) was
slaves of one Mr. Bob Gray & wife Mrs.
They lived at Richland Dist. S.C. about
12 miles from Columbia. S.C.

The Ruth family was viz: Anica Mary,
Jane and Joseph. Now Anica Ruth's
Children was these viz:
Joseph, Gracie, Sallie, Hannah, Mary,
and Wm Esau. only 3 living viz: X
so you see now that they being slaves
of Bob Gray, why they of course had
to bear his name.

I am yours as applicant for
participation in the Eastern Cherokee Claims
now on file, depending proofs for
your decision. I'm yours I say.

Mrs. Minnie B. Westfield

(Witnessed by
per. J. P. Westfield.)

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Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

In early reply will be appreciated.

You are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
were any of your ancestors slaves?

Your parents and your grandparents were never enrolled
in favor of the Western Shoshone; please state why you
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation

Madam:

Winstone, Ca.

Winnipeg, B. Westfield.

Applicant No. 30337.

March 18, 1903.

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Appln. No. 20337.

March 18, 1908.

Minnie B. Westfield,
Flintstone, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/BJO:

#50337

file

No. 20338

Action: Requested

Name Annie Hightower and X children. Residence: 118 Williams St.
Chattanooga, Tenni-

Reasons:

It appears that the applicant, her father and mother were held as slaves till set free. They were slaves in 1820.

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Field
Chattanooga, Hamilton Co.
Tenn.

No. 20335

Name Annie Highman

With No.

Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

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No. 20338

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Amie H. Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 80, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec. MAR 30 1907

No.

H. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20338

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Annie Highlander*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *118 Williams St Chattanooga*
4. County: *Knox*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 24 1860*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Milo Steele*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Mary Steele*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Mary Smith*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Pickens Co SC*
Mother: *Greenville SC*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Pendleton SC*
Mother: *LI*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *11 years ago* Mother: *Died 20 years ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Milo Steele	don't know	living
(2)	Mary Puckett	"	died 11 yrs ago
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible.

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Thomas Smith	Gilbert Moore
Betty Ann	Hager

17. Where were they born? don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? don't know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
(2)	English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
(3)	English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
(4)	English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
(5)	English name:	Indian name:	Residence:

Frank Mathews & family

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Geo B Haynes (Signature.) *Annie^{her} Highlover*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Mingard White* and *Mary White*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Annie Highlover*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 19 years and 13 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J M Alexander *Mingard^{her} White*
Geo B Haynes *Mary White*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20338.

Miso.

Annie Hightower, being duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

My name is Annie Hightower. My age is 50 years old. I live on Williams St., Chattanooga, Tenn. I lived in Cherokee Co., Ga. before coming here. I was born in South Carolina, in Pickens Co. I lived there until 6 years old. I never received any money from the Government. My grandfather was half-Indian. I claim through my father. My father lived in South Carolina until he moved to Ga. He was born in Anniston, S. C. He belonged to the Cherokees. My father was never enrolled to my knowledge. I heard him talk about the enrollment. My father lived in S. C. before I was born. My father was born about 1820. My father taught me that he was part Cherokee Indian. I was a slave when I was ten years old until set free. I was born a slave and was a slave until ten years old. My mother was a slave when I was born. My father was a slave also. Steele owned my mother and a Maxwell owned my father.

Annie Hightower
Signature of witness.

Sworn and subscribed to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 20th day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

*Very little resemblance
to Indians, but much like
a negro.*

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

You are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
were any of your ancestors slaves?

Your parents and your grandparents were never enrolled?
In favor of the Eastern Cherokees? please state why you
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation

Wagon:

Chattanooga, Tenn.

118 Williams Street.

Annie Hightower.

20338.

Appl. No. 30338.

March 18, 1908.

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Appln. No. 20338.

March 18, 1908.

Annie Hightower,

118 Williams Street,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

#20338

25.9.

No. 20339. Action: Reject.
Name: Maeie Scott and X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20337.

Sister

No. 20339

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lucie Scott

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

T. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20339

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make my claim of Indian blood through my father, William Gray.

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William Goodson Gray	May 28, 1874	Living
(2)	Minnie Belle	Sept 23, 1875	"
(3)	Frank	July 19, 1884	"
(4)	Ethel	Nov 14, 1886	"
(5)	Joseph	" 1888	"
(6)	James	Dec 24, 1889	"
(7)	Willie	" 1891	"
(8)	Bertie	" 1893	"
(9)	Maggie	" 1895	"
(10)	Maggie	" 1900	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible.

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Gray	Hamon Russell
Ala Ca Gray	Dicie

17. Where were they born? I dont where the Russells were but think they were born in N.C. The Grays in Murray Co. Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grays all lived in Murray Co. Ga. dont know where the Russells lived.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Joseph Gray
Indian name: _____
Residence: St Elmo Tenn
- (2) English name: Mary Beson nee Gray
Indian name: _____
Residence: St Elmo Tenn
- (3) English name: Ellen Gaither nee Russell
Indian name: Aun Broyles
Residence: _____
- (4) Residence: Sherman Heights Tenn
Indian name: _____
Residence: Berry Russell
- (5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: Rome Ga

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I dont know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words, "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Lucy Scott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Mich, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

J. K. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me James P Westfield and Minnie P Westfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lucie Scott, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. P. Westfield
M. P. Westfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Mich, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

J. K. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 25 1908

No. 20339.

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Chatt

121 Car St

Tenn
April 23rd 68

Mrs Simon Miller

as I failed to state ^{in my letter} ^{Special Commissioner} whether my
parents were ever slaves or not
were neglected on my part -
yes. They were slaves my
Parents and also Grandparents

Respectfully Yours

Lang Scott

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 19 1908

No. 20339.

#2033
Special Commissioner
Guion Miller
Chatt
Tenn
April 1888
141 Car St.

In reply To your letter
reciued some days ago. your request of me
to state why my Parents and Grand Parents
were not ~~enrolled~~ ^{were} and they ever slaves
I dont really know why they were not
enrolled! but my Grand Parents were
Slave - and lived at a time in
Murray Co Ga near Spring Place.
The County seat of Murray County
My Grandmother's name was
Breaker Gray But Grand Father
& do not know

Respectfully yours
Lucie Scott

302/END.

Chief Clerk.

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Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

An early reply will be appreciated.

You are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that

there any of your interests over slaves.

Your parents and your friends were never enrolled.

In favor of the Western Cherokee. Please state why you

in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

relative to your application for participation

Memphis:

Chattanooga, Tenn.

121 Car Street.

Thos. Scott.

Atlanta, No. 20333-20337.

March 13, 1906.

20339.
with

20337.

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Appln. No. 20339-20337.

March 13, 1908.

Lucie Scott,
121 Car Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled.
Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELC.

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EST/310.

Chief Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

Please furnish this information to this office at once.

Not fail to state whether or not your bearings were ever altered.

Your letter of the 18th instant received. In it

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20339.

with

20337.

Re:

Chattanooga, Tenn.

1st Car Street.

Incis Scott.

Vbbjw. No. 30333-30334.

Vbbjw 30. Jan.

2.5.9.

Appln. No/ 20339-20337.

April 20, 1907.

Lucie Scott,

161 Car Street,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Your letter of the 18th instant received. In it
you fail to state whether or not your parents were ever slaves?
Please furnish this information to this office at once.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

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2.5.9.

No. 20340

Action: Refuted

Name: Jane Hickenbottom and X children. Residence: Wholley, Tenn.

Reasons:

Her ancestors of applicant
were slaves,

20340

No. 20340

Reject

Name One Hickbottom

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 20345, 20342,
20343, 20344, 20421,
20422, 20567.

W. H. H.
Reject - Slaves
See letters

Awaiting reply to letter.

✓
No. 20340

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joyce Hickensbo Thom
for her minor child, Thomas
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.
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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAR 30 1907

No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20340

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

her mother & Grand father on mother side

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hubbard Hickenbottom	Don't know	Living
(2)	Hazel	"	"
(3)	Ray	"	"
(4)	Johnnie	"	"
(5)	Lillian	"	"
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Hickenbottom	Isaac Mcbany
Mary	Mekie

17. Where were they born? Don't know Isaac Mcbany
Alamogordo Co. N.M. Mekie Mcbany in Idaho

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(2)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(3)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(4)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(5)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I think not

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Jona Hickinbottom

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Mich, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Emma McCamy and Luella Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jona Hickinbottom, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Emma McCamy

Luella Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Mich, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 26 1908
No. 20340.

Application No 20340

Wharley Tenn

Mar 24 " 1908

Guian Miller Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

in ans. to yours of the 18" inst
I was borned since the civil war and
My Great Grand mother and Grand
Mother ~~and~~ Father was in Slavery
I ~~was~~ have never been in Slavery
My Sister Mattie Woffard have mailed
you a sworn statement by W.M. McLean
whos Father owned my Father before
the war. which statement covers my claim
the Best we know

yours Respt

JST

Jonie Nickenbatton

WEST/310.

Chief Clerk.

BY

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

An early reply will be appreciated.

establish your right to share in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable tending to

its ancestors slaves? Were you and your parents ever slaves?

Parents or grandparents were never enrolled? Were any of

on behalf of your minor child? Please state why the child's

Relative to the application which you have filed

Madam:

Whorley, Tenn.

John Hickembottom.

Appdn. No. 50340.

March 18, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20340.

March 18, 1908.

Ione Hickenbottom,

Whorley, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to the application which you have filed on behalf of your minor child, please state why the child's parents or grandparents were never enrolled? Were any of its ancestors slaves? Were you and your parents ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

50340.

OK
Dr.
C.

No. 20341.

Action:

Reject.

Name

William Gray

and

X

children.

Residence:

Cleveland, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20337.

20341

No. 20341

Name Wm Gray

With No. 20337

Remarks:

No. 20341

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William Gray

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAR 30 1907

No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20341

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

William Gray

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Cleveland

3. Town and post office:

Cleveland RFD #1

4. County:

Bradley

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

1845 Murray Co Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make my claim for Indian blood through my mother Quica Gray

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Flora Gray. 47 yrs old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Gray

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Quica

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Quica

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Some where in N.C.

Mother:

" " "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Murray Co Ga

Mother:

" " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

died before the war

Mother:

died 1861

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Trade Wilson Hulsray	dont know	dont know
(2)	Joseph Gray	"	Living
(3)	Salbit & Gracie (Twins)	"	both dead. 16 & 8 yrs ago
(4)	Hannah Gray	"	died 10 yrs ago
(5)	Mary	"	Living
(6)	George	"	died 13 yrs ago

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
dont know	dont know
"	"

17. Where were they born? dont know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? dont know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(2) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

I do not know anything about my Indian relatives and am not sure of their names.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I dont know

FATHER'S SIDE

don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE

don't know

"

"

17. Where were they born? don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time? don't know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:
(1) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: don't know

I do not know any thing about my
brother uncles and aunts on either side

No. 20342.

Action:

Reject.

Name:

Dona Hickinbottom and X

children.

Residence:

Whorley, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20340.

20342

No. 21342-21345

Name

With No. 21340

Remarks:

Dora Hickinbottom
Emma McCamey
Luella Johnson
Mattie Vafford

20342

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

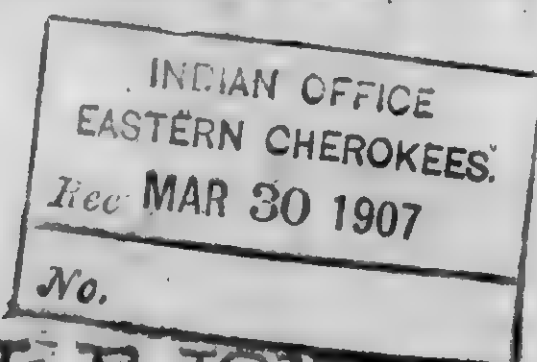
APPLICATION

OF

Jones Hickinbottom

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20342

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Isabel Hickentbottom*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Whorley Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 19 1870. Murray Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Salomon Hickentbottom*
Aged 33 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Isaac McCarney*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Mekie McCarney*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Mekie Thompson*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In S.C.*
Mother: *In Va*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Murray County Ga*
Mother: *" " Ga*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Died 12 years ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Annie Knox	1865	Living
(2)	Mallie Gilbert	1867	"
(3)	Luella Johnson	1870	"
(4)	Spencer McElamy	Don't know	"
(5)	Mattie Whifford	Jan 9 th 1896	"
(6)	Lea Johnson	Don't know	"
(7)	James McElamy	"	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Don't know	Moses Johnson
Lindsay McElamy	Trashion

17. Where were they born?

Don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Don't know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Fonia Hickinbottom*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Oct 9, 190*7*

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Mattie Hafford* and *Luella Johnson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Fonia Hickinbottom*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and ~~they~~ have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Mattie Hafford

Luella Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

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No. 20343

Action: Reject

Name Emma McPamy and X children. Residence: Whorley, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claim through the same source as # 20340.

20343

No. 20343

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Emma McCaney

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec MAR 30 1907

No.

H. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20343

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.,

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Emma McCann*
Indian name: *Whorley / Tann*
2. Residence: *" "*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 4th 1868 Murray Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my ~~mother~~ father*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Isaac McCann*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *McKie McCann*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *McKie Thompson*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In. S.C.*
Mother: *In Va*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Murray Co Ga*
Mother: *" " Ga*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Died 12 years ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Annie Knox	1865	Living
(2)	Mollie Gilbert	1867	"
(3)	Luella Johnson	1860	"
(3)	Spencer McLean	Don't know	"
(4)	Rea Johnson	"	"
(4)	Jessie McLean	"	"
(5)	Lona Heckindolton	"	"
(6)	Mattie Hafford	"	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Don't know	Moses Johnson
Lindsay McLean	Trishon Moady

17. Where were they born? Don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(2) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

I don't know anything of my Uncles & Aunts

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Emma McGarry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Luella Johnson and Lona Hickenbottom, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emma McGarry, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Luella Johnson
Lona Hickenbottom

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 18 1907
No. 20 34 3

~~Answer~~ in you can record the letters
circ found
9/21/07
Wharley J. J.

Whorley Tenn Sept the 16 1907.

To the office of Indian Affairs

My Brothers and Sisters did not get to put in for this claim at the time it was going on and they want to Refer to my.

No is 20343. We all belong to the same mother and Father my Father name is J. P. McCarney and mother name is Malpie McCarney and Brothers name is Spencer McCarney age 35.

James McCarney age 29. Robert McCarney 24.

Robert McCarney 22. and my sisters names is Carrie Knox age 43. Mallie Gilbert 41.

Lea Jackson 32. They all want to put on my card my name is Emma McCarney my No 20343.

~~Answer~~ you can hear the letters
Wharley Terrell
9/18/07

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
Recd.	SEP 18 1907
No.	20 343

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. NOV 21 1907
No. 20343

Union Miller Special

Commissioner.

Wharley Tenn Nov 18
1907

Special Commissioner of
The Court of Claims I Write
you and I want to no is You got
~~is you~~ any Lawyer employed to

See after the Partition Claims.

Mr Albert Jones & McGhee. sent
for all to come in I went and he
Wanted me to give him 40 per centage
on a dollar he is got some papers

Struck and he wanted us to hired
them and I want you to write and tell
me whether we ~~want~~ better do that are
not if you got any one employed I want
you to write and tell me so I no what
to do I wanted information and thought
the Best way to get information to write
this Jones is the nephew of Lonie Jones.

So my number of my Card is 20343.

Wharley Tenn

Emma McCamy.

App. #20343.

November 21, 1907.

Emma McCary,

Whorley,

Tennessee.

Madam:-

Your letter of November 18, 1907, relative to the applications filed by the late J. B. Jones, is at hand. In reply you are advised that the applications on file will be taken up and carefully examined, and claimants will be enrolled if they are found to be entitled.

The duty of the Commissioner is to obtain all the facts, and this investigation will be made regardless of whether the claimant is represented by an attorney.

If the claim is particularly complicated a local attorney might be of service to the Commissioner, but is in no case required by this office.

The compensation of 40% mentioned in your letter would certainly be extortionate.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 20344.

Action: Reject

Name Luella Johnson and X children. Residence: Dalton, Ga.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20340.

No. 20344

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Luella Johnson

FOR SHARE OF LANDS appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20344

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Luella Johnson*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Dalton Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Whitfield*
4. County: *Georgia*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 4 1870*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Greene Johnson*
Aged 45 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Isaac McCann*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *McKie McCann*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *McKie Thompson*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In S.C.*
Mother: *In Va*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Burray Co Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Died 12 years* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Annie Knox	1865	Living
(2)	Mollie Gilbert	1867	"
(3)	Spencer McCombs	Don't know	"
(4)	Geo. Johnson	"	"
(5)	James McCombs	"	"
(6)	Sona McKinbottom	Dec 19 1879	"
(7)	Mattie Hafford	Jan 9 1896	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Don't know	Moses Johnson
Lindsay McCombs	Trishon Woody

17. Where were they born? Don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(2) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

Don't know anything of my
Uncles & Aunts

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Luella Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Emma McBarny and Jona Hickinbottom, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Luella Johnson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Emma McBarny

Jona Hickinbottom

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Appln. No. 20344.

March 18, 1908.

Luella Johnson,
Dalton, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller
Special Commissioner,

By

N. L. Crawford
Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

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Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

An early reply will be appreciated.
You are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
you are entitled to share in this fund.

Your parents and your grandparents were never entitling
in favor of the Shastom Cherokees. Please state why you
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund.

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Melba Johnson.

Appdn. No. 80244.

March 18, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20344.

March 18, 1908.

Luella Johnson,

Dalton, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

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Inella Johnson.

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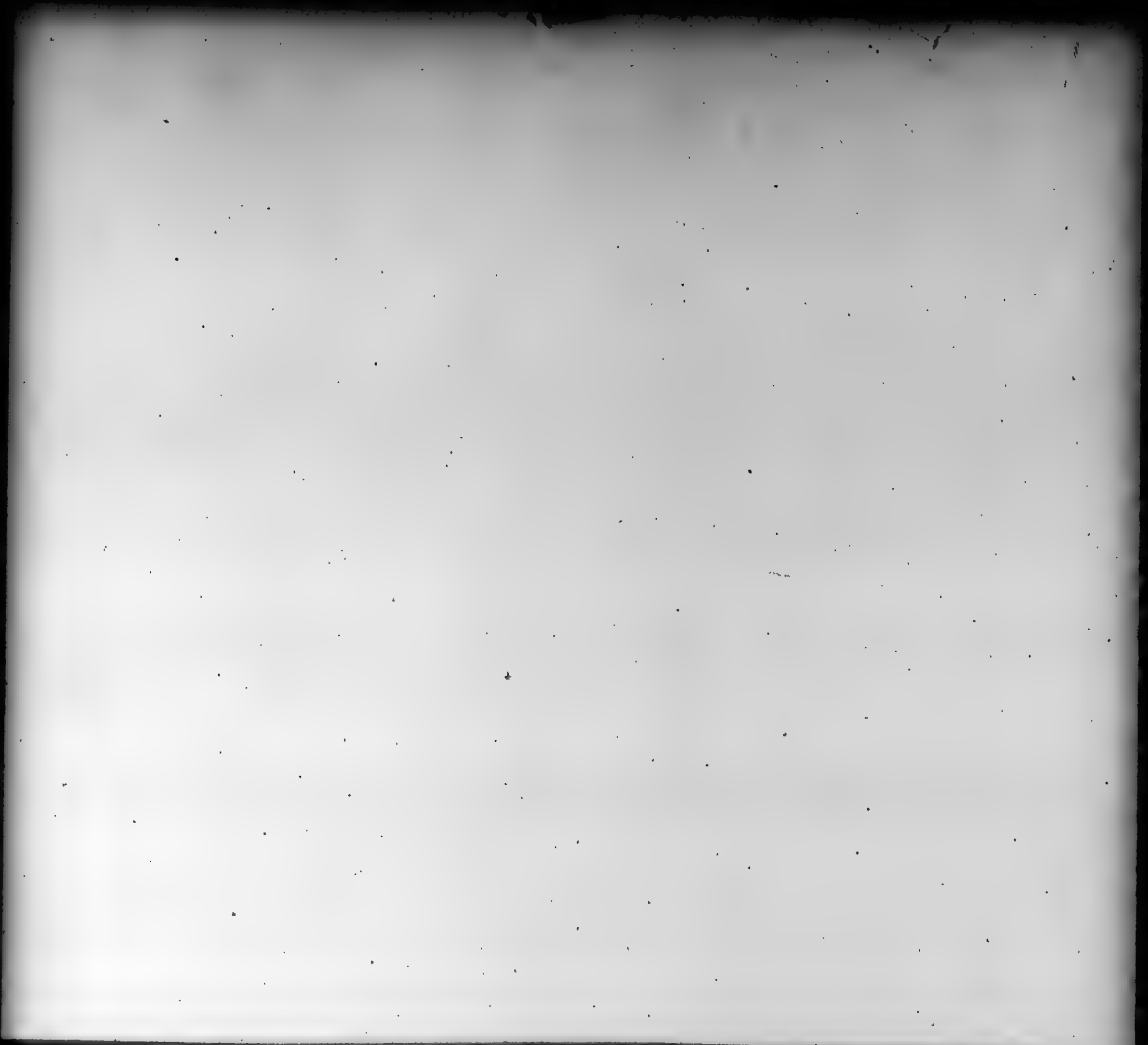
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No. 20344



Luella Johnson,

UNCLAIMED.
UNCLAIMED.





No. 20345.

Name Mattie Wafford and I children. Residence: Whorley, Tenn. Action: Repeat.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20340.

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No. 20345

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mattie Wafford

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20345

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokee. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Annie Knox	1865	Living
(2)	Mallie Gilbert	1867	"
(3)	Luella Johnson	1870	"
(4)	Spencer McCarney	Dont know	"
(5)	Tea Johnson	"	"
(6)	James McCarney	"	"
(6)	Soney Hickman	Dec 19 1879	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Dont know	Moses Johnson
Lindsay McCarney	Traskon Maddy

17. Where were they born? *Dont know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *I dont know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
(2) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
(3) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
(4) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

*I dont know anything of my
Uncles or Aunts*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Mattie Hofford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

26th

day of

March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct

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E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

McKie McCann

and

Lona Heckenbottom

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Mattie Hofford*

foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *26* years and *20* years,

respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and

that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Arthur Wofford

McKie McCann

J. J. Davis

Lona Heckenbottom

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

26

day of

March

, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct

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E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 26 1908

No.

Application No 20345-20340

JST.

Wharley Tenn
Mar 24" 1908

Guion Miller Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

in answer to yours of the 18th
Inst. I was Banned Just after the Civil
war and my Grand Parents was in
Slavery. Judy Julian was my Fathers
Great Grand Mother and Claimed to be
one half Cherokee Indian. her Master as
owner said she was half Indian. My
Fathers Grand mothers name was Silva
McLeamy and was owned by James McLeamy
who Resided in Blunt County Tenn and
Remained to Murry Co Ga about 10 years
before the Civil war, being slaves I think
is why they were not Enrolled.
I Enclose a sworn statement in support of this
fact by W.M. McLeamy. also this sworn
Statement of W.M. McLeamy is Proof in my

Sisters Chaim Sonie Nickinbatten

yours Respt
Mattie Woffard

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAR 26 1908
No. 20345

Georgia Murray County
This is to certify
That I once knew Judy
Julian for a number of
years she belong to George
Julian he claimed that
Judy was half Indian
Stover to and subscribed
before me W. M. McComy
This Sept 18 1907
R. H. McComy N J

WAT/STO.

Chief Clerk.

By

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you
and of your ancestors ever alive?

Parents and your grandparents were never enrolled? Were

favor of the Western Cherokees? Please state why you want

the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in

Relative to your application for participation in

Shooley, Tenn.

Wattie Moffatt.

WAT/STO. NO. 80345-80340.

March 16, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20345-20340.

March 18, 1908.

Nattie Woffort,
Thorley, Tenn.

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Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

No. 20346 Action: Reject
Name Katie Williams and X children. Residence: Hill City, Tenn.
Reasons:

claims through the same source as # 20 334.

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No. 20346
Name Katie Williams
With No. ~~20384~~
Remarks:

No. 20346

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Katie Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

E. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20346

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 80, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Katie Williams

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Hill City

3. Town and post office:

"

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

July 15th 1870 Catowah Co. Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim through my mother.

8. Are you married?

I am a widow

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William Williams

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Adaline Williams

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Adaline Jones

11. Where were they born?

Father:

In South Carolina

Mother:

Bartow Co. Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Chattahoochee Co. Ga

Mother:

"

"

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

27 years ago

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Belle Covington	Dont know	Living
(2)	Forest Williams	1864	"
(3)	Willie B	1866	died 1888
(4)	Oscar	"	1868 " 1898
(5)	Clyde	"	1872 1889
(6)	Cherry	"	1874 died 1907
	Joseph	"	1874 Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Dont know	Green Henry
Queen McConnell	Malissa

17. Where were they born? Dont know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Henry in Barlow County Ga Queen McConnell in Chattooga Co Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Adaline Young
Indian name: Died 1891

Residence:

(2) English name: Charles Jones

Indian name:

Residence: Texas

(3) English name: William Jones

Indian name:

Residence: Rising Dawn Ga

(4) English name: Jefferson Jones

Indian name:

Residence: Encharlee Ala

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Katie Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Adaline Williams and Katie Joseph Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Katie Williams, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 36 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Marshall Williams
Bath Fred.

Signatures of witnesses.

Adaline Williams
Joe Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Mch, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20347

Action: *Refusal*

Name *Artice Corrington* and *X* children. Residence: *Dodge, Ga.*

Reasons:

See mother's application # 20413.

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No. 28347
Name Belle Corrington (Edw)
With No. 28334
Remarks:

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#20656. ✓

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20363. ✓

No. 20347

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Belle Covington
her minor child Artie

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAR 30 1907
No.

B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20347

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make this claim for my minor child Artice, who is under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody, claiming Cherokee blood through its mother Belle Covington

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Covington	Apr 27, 1887	Living
(2)	Delvitt "	May 5, 1891	"
(3)	Artice "	Jan 16 1901	"
(4)	Effie "	Dec. 24 1898	"
(5)	D Forrest "	Apr 26 1889	"
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Franklin Covington	David M Garland
Maniah "	Adeline " nee Jones
	Indian name Kate Hemphill

17. Where were they born? Grandparents on father's side born in N C for father M Garland in Lebanon Ala. Grandmother in Benton Co - Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time? Grandparents on father's side in Chattooga Co - Ga Grandmother on mother's side in St Clair County Alabama

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Forrest Williams

Indian name:

Residence: Hill City Tenn

(2) English name: Willie Ann Williams

Indian name:

Residence: died 17 yrs ago

(3) English name: Askar Williams

Indian name:

Residence: died 10 yrs ago

(4) English name: Katie Williams

Indian name:

Residence: Hill City Tenn

(5) English name: Clyde Williams

Indian name:

Residence: died 17 yrs ago

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Belle Covington*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *S. F. Covington* and *Adaline Williams*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Belle Covington*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 35 years and 46 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. J. Stence
Walter Thompson

Signatures of witnesses.

S. F. Covington
Adaline Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Dec, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20348

Action: Refected

Name Ammie Murray and X children. Residence East Chattanooga Tenn.

Reasons:

See Special report herewith
for the grounds upon which
this claim is refected.

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No. 20348

Name Annie Murray

With No.

Remarks:

The following
applications have
been detached
[grouped with 20348
] for Field Examina-
tion in Jones and
Hamilton Cos,
Iowa)

20348, 20446, 20447, 20449,
20450, 20660, 20674,
20672, 20580, 28993,
28994.

No. 20348. ^{James Co.} Hamilton Co. Tenn.

Name Annie Murray

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith

are nos. 20446, 20678,
20661, 20447, 20419, 20448,
20449, 20450, 20679,
20675, 20676, 20660,
20674, 20672, 20360,
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Field, East Chatt.

Tenn.

4 July

Awaiting replies to letters.

No. 20348 10
Name Annie Murray
With No. ~~100~~

Remarks:

Field, Hamilton Co.

No. 20348 of Tenn.

Name Annie Murray

With No.

Remarks: The following
numbers, grouped
with 20348, detached
for Field Examination
in Hamilton Co.
Tennessee.

Waiting answer
to letter to Nancy
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No. 20348

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Annle Murray

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAR 30 1907
No.

T. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20348

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Annie Murray^{nee} Reed

Indian name:

2. Residence:

East Chattanooga

3. Town and post office:

East Chattanooga

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

August 2nd 1888. Walker Co Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make my claim of Cherokee blood through my father William E Reed

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

William Murray 2 1/2 yrs old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William E Reed Jr

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Nancy J Reed

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Nancy J Murray

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Murray County Ga

Mother:

Union Co Tenn

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Murray Co Ga

Mother:

Union Co Tenn

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Reed	Sep 4. 1867	Living
(2)	George "	Mich 1. 1870	"
(3)	Cinda "	" 22. 1873	"
(4)	Mary "	Sep 7 1876	died 6 yrs ago
(5)	Elizabeth "	" 20 1880	Living
(6)	Sallie "	June 7 1894	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
McKenzie Reed	James Murray
Nancy A "	Jane "

17. Where were they born? *McKenzie Reed born in Knox Co Tenn Nancy A. Reed in Sevier Co Tenn James Murray in Knox Co Tenn Jane Murray somewhere east of Knoxville Tenn*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Reeds lived in Murray Co Ga. The Murrays in McMinn Co Tenn*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>William E. Hardin</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>died 12 yrs ago</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Joseph Reed</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>in Ala</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Charles Reed</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>in Ala</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Samuel Reed</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Walker Co Ga</i>
(5) English name:	<i>William Reed Sr</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>died in 1859</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Amie Murray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. C. Moyers and Salie Reed, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amie Murray, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and 9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W. C. Moyers
Salie Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 28 1908
No. 20348.

Dec 9, 1911

W. M. Matthews
Notary Public

app 20. 348

State of Tennessee } ss
County of Hamilton } On this 25th day of
March 1908.

Personally appeared, before me, a Notary Public, within and for the County and State aforesaid, legally commissioned, and qualified, as such: Annie Murray who being duly sworn by me, makes the following statement. That she is now 18 years old; that her P.O. address is East Chattanooga Tennessee: Claimant states that, her application for participation, in the distribution of the fund, in favor of the Eastern Cherokee Indians, is No 20348 And that the only reason that she can assign for her name not appearing on any enrollment made of said Indians, is, that she, had no, notice of such enrollments, being made, had no, opportunity to enroll, her name, and that the same is true, as to her father William E Reed, thru whom she claims her Indian blood, that, if it is a fact that his name does not appear on any of the rolls. But claimant's information obtained from her grand mother, Nancy A. Reed, whose maiden name was Nancy A. Hardin is, that she was enrolled, or that her father, claimant's great grand father was enrolled, at some of said enrollments, but claimant can't state which enrollment it was. That her ancestors on her father's side, were all descendants of the Cherokee tribe of Indians, and came direct from the Hardins: That claimant's great grand father's name was Robert Hardin and his Indian blood was never questioned as this claimant is informed and believes; That he,

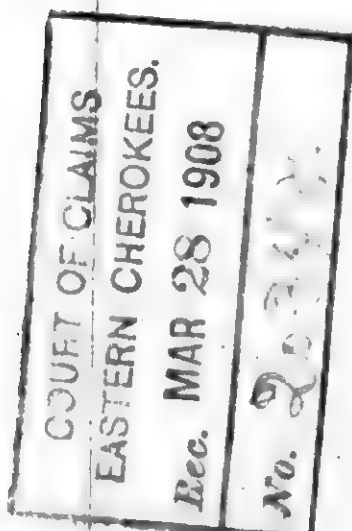
was never a slave of either white people or
indians, neither was any of claimant's ancestors.
Now, having fully answered all questions, as it
appears to this claimant, she therefore demands
a full, fair and equitable trial and investigation
of her case.

Dinnie Murray.

nee Reed

The foregoing affidavit was
subscribed and sworn to before me on
the day and date herein before written
and I certify that I have no interest
in this claim, that my Commission expires
Oct 9, 1911

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public



SPECIAL REPORT.

#20348 +

In re Annie Murray et al.

Case #20348.

Applicant's grandmother, Nancy A. Reed, is still living and has filed application #20674, and the claim is based through her.

Nancy A. Reed was born in Sevier County, Tenn. in 1823, and makes her claim through her father, Robert Hardin, who was born in South Carolina. Nancy A. Reed was not enrolled in 1851, nor was her father enrolled in 1851 or 1835, nor was Nancy or any of her descendants enrolled by Hester in 1884.

Sevier County, Tenn. was not within the Cherokee domain in 1823 at the time of the birth of Nancy A. Reed, and no part of the state of South Carolina where her father was alleged to have been born was within the Cherokee domain in 1835 or for many years prior thereto.

There is no record or evidence to sustain the claim of these parties to enrollment, nor does the testimony taken (See Miscel. Test. Pages 149 - 150 - 151) in any way establish the fact that Nancy Reed was a recognized member of the Cherokee tribe in 1835 or 1846.

These claims are therefore rejected.

Chief Clerk.

By

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

An early reply will be appreciated.

are entitled to share in this fund.

Appreciate all your reasons for thinking that you

and of your predecessors' views.

parents and your grandparents' were never enrolled? Were

favor of the Western Cherokees? Please state why you think

the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in

Relative to your application for participation in

Wagon:

East Cherokees' Tenn...

Wm. Murray.

Appl. No. 50348.

March 10, 1908.

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Appln. No. 20348:

March 18, 1908.

Annie Murray,

East Chattanooga, Tenn..

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

PST/ELO.

#50312

7.5.9.

Witness in re

Appln. No. 20672-20348.

John J. Stancel, being duly sworn deposes
and says:

My name is John J. Stancel. My age is 58 years. I live in Oateosa Co., Ga. I was born and raised in Whitfield Co., Ga. I know William E. Reed. I ~~know~~ have known him since a boy. I have always heard that he had Cherokee Indian blood. He claims through his mother. Her name was Nancy Harden before she was married. I do not know that she was ever enrolled. We never heard of this enrollment. I don't know what part Cherokee his mother was. None of his people were ever slaves. They have always been recognized as part Indians.

Copy/ John J. Stancel
Signature of witness.

Sworn and subscribed to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 20th day of June, 1908.

ASm
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

No. 20672-20348.

William E. Reed, being first duly sworn
and examined deposes and says:

My name is William E. Reed. I was born January, 6, 1844. I live in East Chattanooga, Tenn. I was born in MURRAY County, Georgia, and lived there until twenty years ago. I was not enrolled in 1851. I received no money. I can give no reason for not being enrolled. Neither father nor mother were slaves. I claim my Indian blood through my mother. My mother's name was Nancy A. Hardin before marriage. ~~She belonged to the Cherokee tribe.~~ She belonged to the Cherokee tribe. My mother lived with the Cherokee Indians and used their language. My mother is still living. I never heard her say anything about being enrolled. My mother now lives at Apperson Station, James County, Tennessee. My mother's father claimed to be three-fourths Cherokee. My mother's father lived in Monroe County, Tennessee. His name was Robert Hardin.

Copy William E. Reed
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Chattanooga,
Tennessee, this Eighteenth day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

This man resembles an Indian.
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Relative to 20672-20348.

R. B. Weathers, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is R. B. Weathers. I am going on 87 years old. Lives in Chattanooga. I have been living here nearly 20 years. I was raised in Murray County, Georgia. I know Wm. E. Reed. I have known him since he was a little boy. Used to know his mother. Her name was Nancy A. Hardin. She was recognized as part Indian.

Copied

R B Weathers-
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tennessee, this Eighteenth day of June, 1908.

A B M
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

No. 20349.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Phineas Corrington* and *X* children. Residence: *Dodge, Ga.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #20334.

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No. 20349

Name Pluma Corinto

With No. 20334

Remarks:

No. 20349

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Rena Covington

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Re MAR 30 1907

L. E. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20349

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Plumia Covington*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Dodge Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Walker*
4. County: *Georgia*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 16 1881 Chattahoochee Co. Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother and Grand mother*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Scott Covington*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Belle Covington*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Belle Williams*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cherokee Co. Ala*
Mother: *Chattahoochee County Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Not living in 1851*
Mother: *It " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Eugene Covington	Apr 27 1876	Living
(2)	S E Moore	" 26 1890	"
(3)	S E Hill	May 5 1894	"
(4)	Effie	Dec 24 1897	"
(5)	Charles	Aug 31 1883	"
(6)	Arlio	Jan 27 1900	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Frank Covington	William Williams
Mariah	Adeline

17. Where were they born?

Frank Covington in NC. Mariah Covington in Chattooga Co. Ga
William Williams in SC & Adeline Williams in Darlow Co. Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Covingtons in Chattooga County Ga & also the Williamses

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

(1) English name: Charles Covington

Indian name:

Residence: Louisiana

(2) English name: Scott Covington

Indian name: Chattooga Co. Ga

Residence:

(3) English name: Belle Covington

Indian name:

Residence: Dodge Ga

Mother's side

English name: Tiresh Williams

Indian name:

Residence: Wile City Tenn

(5) English name: Willie Williams

Indian name: Died in 1888

Residence: Oscar Williams died 1899

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

Blyde Williams died 1889
Kate " Hill City, Tenn
Cherry " died 1907.
Joseph " Living

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Plasma Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1906.)

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Scott Covington and Kate Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Plasma Covington, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Scott Covington
Kate Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1906.)

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20350.

Action: Rejoice

Name: Charles Corrington and X children. Residence: Dodge, Ga.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #20334.

No. 20350-20351

Name

With No. 20349

Remarks:

Chas Covington
Belle Covington

No. 20350

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Charles Covington

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAR 30 1907
No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20350

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Charles Covington*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Dodge Ga*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Walker Co*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 31st 1883 Chatooga Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother and grandmother*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Scott Covington*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Belle Covington*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Belle Williams*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cherokee Co Ala*
Mother: *Chatooga Co Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Nok. living in 1851*
Mother: *" " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Plummer Covington</i>	<i>Jan 16 1881</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Engine</i>	<i>" Apr 27 1876</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>D. Forest</i>	<i>" 26 1890</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>L. E. Witt</i>	<i>" May 5 1894</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>E. F. Fie</i>	<i>" Dec 24 1897</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>Artis</i>	<i>" Jan 18 1900</i>	<i>"</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Tirauk Covington</i>	<i>William Williams</i>
<i>Mariah</i>	<i>Adaline</i>

17. Where were they born? *Tirauk born in N. C. Mariah Covington in Chattooga Co. Ga. William Williams in S. C. and Adaline Williams in Barlow Co. Ga.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Covingtons in Chattooga Co. Ga. & the Williamses was the same*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side (1) English name: *Charles Covington*

Indian name:

Residence: *Louisiana*

(2) English name: *Scott Covington*

Indian name:

Residence: *Chattooga Co. Ga.*

Mother's side

(3) English name: *Belle Covington*

Indian name:

Residence: *Dodge Ga.*

(4) English name: *Forest Williams*

Indian name:

Residence: *Hill City Tenn.*

(5) English name: *Willie Williams*

Indian name: *Wied 1888*

Residence: *Oscar Williams died 1899*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

Hyde Williams died 1889
Katie " Hill City Tenn.
Cherry " died 1907
Joseph " Lansing

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Charles Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Mch, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Scott Covington and Katie Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles Covington, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Scott Covington
Katie Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Mch, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 26 1908
No. 20350.

Dodge Ga B-22

March 23. 1908.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir I Received Letter

March 21 Stated about the

Claim of Eastern Cherokee

and I Put in under the

heading of my grand mother

Adeline Williams the Claim

her share of June Henry from

pease farther side

Kato himphill her mother

side size my grandparents

was a slave I cant tell you

whether ever enrolled or

not application no we have

not got 20334 ✓

Very Respectfully

20350 Charles Covington

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Appln. No. 20350-20334.

March 18, 1908.

Charles Covington,

Dodge, Ga.

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20334
Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves? State clearly all your
reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in
this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

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No. 20351

Action: *Rejet*

Name: *Dewitt Covington* and *X* children. Residence: *Dodge, La.*

Reasons:

See mother's application # 20413.

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No. 20351

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Belle Covington
For
her minor child Druitt

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR. 30 1907

E. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20351

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Belle Covington for her
Indian name: minor child Dewitt
2. Residence: Catoosa Co. Ga
3. Town and post office: Dodge
4. County: Walker
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: Mch 19, 1861 Summerville Ga
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I make this claim for minor child Dewitt, who is under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody, and claims indian blood through its mother Belle Covington
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: S F Covington 49 yrs old
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Scott H. Covington
Indian name:
Mother—English name: Belle
Indian name:
Maiden name: Belle Williams
11. Where were they born?
Father: Cherokee County Ala
Mother: Summerville Chattooga County Ga
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: was not born
Mother: "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Living Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I do not know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	James Covington	Apr 27, 1887	Living
(2)	Effie	"	Dec 24, 1898
(3)	Artie	"	Jan 16, 1900
(4)	Dwight	"	May 5, 1891
(5)	D Forrest	"	Apr 26, 1881
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Frank Covington	David McFarland
Mariah	Adahrie " Lee Jones
	her Indian name Kuto Humphill

17. Where were they born? Gr parents on fathers side born in N. C.

Gr father M. Farland born in Lebanon Ala. Gr mother in Bartow County Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gr parents on fathers side in Chattooga Co Ga. Gr parents on mothers side in St Clair County Ala.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Forrest Williams

Indian name:

Residence: Hill City Tenn

(2) English name: Willie Ann Williams

Indian name:

Residence: died 17 yrs ago

(3) English name: Askan Williams

Indian name:

Residence: died 10 yrs ago

(4) English name: Katie Williams

Indian name:

Residence: Hill City Tenn

(5) English name: Lyde Williams

Indian name:

Residence: died 17 yrs ago

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I do not know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Belle Livingston

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

O. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *S. F. Livingston* and *Adaline Williams*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Belle Livingston*, who makes the foregoing application and statements; and have known *her* for 35 years and 46 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. F. Stancee
Walter Thompson

Signatures of witnesses.

S. F. Livingston
Adaline Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

O. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20932

Action:

Name Margaret C. True and children. Residence:

Reasons:

Duplicate of 20682

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No. 20352

Name Margaret C Ince

With No. 18233

Remarks:

No. 20352

see # 70687

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Margaret C. True
Thru her mother
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20352

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share?

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

My mother

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

(1) *Elna R Goll* NAME *aug 2, 1885* BORN *Living* DIED
(2) _____
(3) _____
(4) _____
(5) _____
(6) _____

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE *Watson True* MOTHER'S SIDE *Peter Bagle*
Ruth A " *Elizabeth* "

17. Where were they born? *Watson True Halifax Co Va Ruth A True Madison Co Ala The Bagles in Sevier Co Tenn*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Trues in Madison Co Ala Bagles in Bradley Co Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Fathers side (1) English name: *Hiram S True*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Birmingham Ala*
(2) English name: *Joseph C True*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Chattanooga Tennessee*
(3) English name: *Harvey A True*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *St Elmo Tenn*
(4) English name: *J H True*
Indian name: *died in 1893*
Residence: _____
Mother side (5) English name: *Marion Bagle*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *I don't know*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

No. 20353.

Action: Reject.

Name John Mulkey and X children. Residence: Newton, Ga.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.

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✓ Field
No. 20353 ~~Dade Co. Fla.~~

Name John Hurling

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
is no. 20356.

Reject

~~Field Norton,~~

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20353

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John H. Mulkey
John H. Mulkey

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John H. Mulky*
Indian name: *Grenton Ga*
2. Residence: *Grenton Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Dade*
4. County: *Dade*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 27th 1854 Elmer Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately. *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Cornelia Mulky*
Aged 41 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William Mulky*
Indian name: *Lucinda Mulki*
Mother—English name: *Lucinda Mulki*
Indian name: *Lucinda Hooten*
Maiden name: *Lucinda Hooten*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Habersham Co Ga*
Mother: *Elmer " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Elmer Co Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *1861* Mother: *Nov 25 1861*

no

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

No Brothers or Sisters

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>John E. Muckry</i>	<i>William Wooten</i>
<i>Esther</i>	<i>Suckey</i>

17. Where were they born? *The Muckrys, Waverham Co. Ga*
The Wootens, in Lumpkin Co. Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Alvin Culmer*
Co. Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

(1) English name: *Dave Muckry*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Town Co. Ga*

Mother's side

(2) English name: *Lorenzo Wooten*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Died in 1879*

(3) English name: *Jerry Wooten*
Indian name: *Died in 1882*
Residence: _____

(4) English name: *Pally Dawson*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Musgrove Ala*

(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My Great Grandmother on
my Mother's side was Esther
Blenge, and my Great Grandmother
on my father's side was Broadwater,
both said to full blood.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John H. Bulkey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Alexander Jeffroy and Robert Page, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John H. Bulkey, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 22 years and 22 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W. B. Harris
W. M. Harris

Alexander Jeffroy
Robert Page

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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F.S.T.

Frenton, Ga, March 21, '88.
Quinn Miller
Special Commissioner
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

In reply to yours
of 18th inst in regard
to Appln. No. 2035-3, will
say I was not born
until after the enrollment
of 1851 and 1852, and my
parents never left this
country. My Great Grand-
mother died before that
time. My information
has always been that

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her brother, Dickie Benge
was enrolled.

My Grand Father
married a Rich, and her
mother, my Great Grandmother,
was a Benge and was a
full-blood Cherokee.

On the other side
My Great Grandmother
was a Bredeater but
I am unable to give
the history of that side
of my relation.

None of my an-
cestors were slaves.

My reason for

believing that I am
entitled to share in
the fund is that I
am a descendant of
the Cherokee tribe

This is about all
the information that
I am able to give

Hoping to hear from
you again, I am

Yours fraternally
John H. Mulkey

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Oberlin Co. Nov 10-1881
Mr. Julian Miller
Washington D.C.
Dear Sir:

We want a Lawyer To
represent us in our Cherokee
Indian Claims, One L.B. Jones
Died in September We are without
any Counsel. Please recommend
a Lawyer that can represent us
About 50 persons here have
Claims Lawyers in Chattanooga
want to charge us 40 per cent
and are most the time intoxicated
Allow me to thank you in advance
for any assistance

Yours Truly
John H. Bulkey

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Trenton Ga July The 29.
Mr. Graham Miller
Special Commissioner
I did Mr. Bradley
told me in Chattanooga
The 20th of June to get
another witness and
I sent Mr. Fleming
Endersee some time
ago and I thought I
would have got one more
but she died before I
got to go to see her
and my wife has
him sick so long I
cant go from home

to be gone at Knight
and if I should to
make any more
proof please let me
know in time there
is one mare existing
that I can get if
my wife gets so I
can attend to it so
I await your answer
yours
John H. Harkley

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 20353 A.

sent card
Receipt 4/24/07.

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Trenton Ga. exp 18 1907
Indian Claim Agent

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir I made my proof
of indian claim before
J B Jones of Chattanooga
Tenn in March and I
want to know if I have
to employ an attorney if
so please advise me by
letter and you will
oblig yours pray turnley
John H. Mulkey

Misc.

Appl. #20353

John E. Mulkey, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:--

My name is John E. Mulkey. I live at Trenton, Ga. I was born in 1854 in Gilmer Co. Ga. I claim to be connected to the Cherokee tribe of Indians. I claim both through my father and my mother. I think my father was about 66 years when he died. He died in 1861. My mother was about 28 years old, and died in 1865. They were born in Gilmer Co., Ga. My great grandmother on my mother's side was Suckey Bengo. I believe that Suckey Bengo was born in White Co., Ga. (my grandmother) My great grandmother was born and raised around in Gilmer, White and Habersham Counties. My grandmother was recognized as a white woman, with Indian blood. I could not say about my great grandmother, I suppose and Indian. She married a white man. My great grandmother lived with the Indians until she married a white man. My grandmother, Suckey Wooten, nee Bengo, I don't think ever lived with the Indians. I never heard of my mother ever getting any money or never was enrolled as I know of with the Indians. I think that my grandmother and great grandmother (on my mother's side) did associate with the Indians. I was living in Jackson County, Ala. in 1882. I was too poor in 1882 to go to get enrolled. I don't think any of my people were enrolled in 1882. I think my great-grandmother's brother, Dickey Bengo was enrolled in 1851-2. I think that my mother and grandmother on my mother's side were around near Gilmer County in 1835. I am almost sure that my mother was never enrolled. I never heard of my grandmother on my mother's side ever being enrolled. My great uncle, Dickey Bengo left home with the Indians about the time of the Treaty. My great grandmother's name before marriage was Suckey Bengo, after marriage Suckey Rich. Her husband was a white man. I think my great grandmother died about 1850.

My grandmother on my father's side was Easter Elliott. Her mother's name was Bread-eater, and may have been Emmeline Breadeater.

My name used to be spelled Mulkah.

The following persons could tell you about my family.
Henry Johnson, Cartocay or Ellijay, Gilmer Co., Ga.
William Harris, Jasper, Pickings Co., Ga.
Em. Suddeth, Flintstone, Gilmer Co., Ga.

John E. Mulkey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June,
1908 at Chattanooga, Tenn.

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A s't to Special Commissioner
U. S. Court of Claims.

BY

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

You are entitled to share in this fund.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
enrollees were any of your ancestors slaves?

Why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never
claims in favor of the Western Cherokees, please state
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of

Relative to your application for participation

Sir:

Stenton, Cr.

John H. Miller.

Appn. No. 50328.

March 16, 1906.

#20353.

J. S. J.

J. S. J.

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Appln. No. 20353.

March 18, 1908.

John H. Mulkey,

Trenton, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

#50323

C. H. F.

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Georgia, Dade County

July 10-1908

Additional testimony in the cause of John H. Mulky's
claim for part in the Eastern Cherokee Indian Enrollment.

In support of Application No. 20353.

Testimony of George W. Blevins of Trenton, Ga.

Q. Do you know John H. Mulky and how long?

A. Yes since he was a little boy.

Q. Did you ^{know great-grand} has mother & her people.

A. Yes.

Q. How long have you known them and what were their ~~name~~ sir name.

A. All my life their name was Bengie

Q. Did you know his Grand-Mother and what was her name.

A. Yes, Her name was Ritch.

Q. Did you know his mother and her people.

A. Yes - Mother was her name

Q. Do you know the to have Indian blood in them or was it generally
understood that they were part Indian?

A. It was understood they were part Cherokee Indian.

Q. Of what Tribe of Indians did these people claim to be of.

A. Cherokee.

Q. Do you know from your own knowledge or from what you heard your
parents relate about these people, whether or not they mixed
and mingled with the Indians, and if so, what tribe.

A. Yes - with the Cherokees.

Q. Did any of them speak the Indian language that you remember:

A. Yes the Bengie's

Q. What is your age and where do you live.

A. 66. Live at Trenton

Q. Are you in anyway interested in this claim and do you expect to
profit by the proceeds on it, if allowed.

A.

Q. Did you know them in 1851, 25 years ago did they
live. A. Yes - they lived in Gilmer Co. Ga.

Georgia, Dade County:

I, George Blevins, make ~~the~~ oath that the facts herein
set forth as made upon my own knowledge are true and the facts

stated on information, I believe to be true.

Sworn to & subscribed before me
this 13 July 1908.

Geo W Blevins
Affiant

No. 20854

Name

Geo. M. Stavel, by

and no children.

Action:

Repealed

Reasons:

pro. J. Stavel, Mayor

Residence:

Roseville, Ga.

Son of 8708

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No. 20354

Name Geo. J. Stancel

With No. 17940

Remarks:

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see

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No. 20354

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John J. Starnes
for his minor child *George W.*
for share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EAST. CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20354

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make this claim for my minor child George W. who is under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody and inherits his indian blood from both father and mother

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>John & Barbara Stancel</u>	<u>June 15, 1891</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>John Hillsman</u>	<u>Dec 30 1884</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Hillsman</u>	<u>John Man</u>
<u>Stancel</u>	<u>Barbara</u>
<u>Sarah J</u>	<u>"</u>

17. Where were they born? Hillsman Stancel was born in Habersham Co-Ga

Sarah J Stancel in Blount Co-Tenn. don't know where John Man was born. Barbara Man was in Indian Territory.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hillsman Stancel was living in Whitfield Co-Ga and Sarah J Stancel, and the Mans lived in Chattooga County Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Robert Harry Stancel</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>don't know</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Pancy H Stancel</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Whitfield Co-Ga</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Sarah Jane Stancel</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>died several yrs ago</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Hester Bowling nee Man</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Hamilton County Tenn</u>
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: _____

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835; _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John J. Stancel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. L. Etter and E. Kelley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John J. Stancel, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 23 years and 26 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. L. Tene
Mrs. Warren

A. L. Etter
E. Kelley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Oct 9, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20354.

F.S.T.

Rossville G. A.
March the 30th 1908
appen no 20354 George W. Atwood
Mr. Union Miller Sir
in answer to your letter
of the 19th which I received
the 28th as to why his parents or
gran parents were never in
holer I dont know I never had
red of any en holl ment in my
time till eleven years back all
I ever heard of was men traveling
throu the country pretending to be
agents and wanting money there
was none of his ancestors ever
deceyed well was all ways told
by our parents that we had
cherokee blood in us as I rote to
go before my great gran mother
(milly Hottovack and said to her
one half or full blood cherokee there
iss some of idogits at Aunt Sarah
Tuckers in whit field county pro
ving she was indian iff you want
them I will have them sent to
you if necessary write to me iff you
want them yours Respectfully
John J. Atwood

EST/MIO.

Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Thank you very much for what you have done.

Give me other information of the people coming to

colleges were and of its ancestors ever slaves?

Why ~~the~~ child's parents and grandparents were never on-

on behalf of your child? George W. Stanger, please state

Relative to the application which you have filed

Sir:

Respectfully, Ge.

John W. Stanger.

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Appln. No. 20354.

March 18, 1908.

John J. Stancel,
Rossville, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to the application which you have filed on behalf of your child, George W. Stancel, please state why ~~the~~ child's parents and grandparents were never enrolled? Were any of its ancestors ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

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No. 20355

Action: Rejected

Name John W. Starnel and no children. Residence: Rossville, Ga.

Reasons:

Son of 8708

20355

No. 20 355
Name J. H. Stancel
With No. 20 354

Remarks:

son
No. 20355

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Hillsman Stancel

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20355

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Killman Stancel*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Whitfield County Catoosa Co Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Rossville*
4. County: *Walker*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 30th 1884. Catoosa Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim through my father John Stancel*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John J Stancel*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Sarah E Stancel*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Sarah E Man*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Whitfield County Ga*
Mother: *Chattanooga "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, (if living at that time)?
Father: *Whitfield County Ga*
Mother: *not born*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: _____

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	George W Stancel	Sept 1888	Living
(2)	Barbara S "	June 18 1891	"
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Hillsman Stancel	John man
Sarah J "	Barbara "

17. Where were they born? Hillsman Stancel was born in Hubbscham Co Ga

Sarah J Stancel in Blount Co - Tenn. dont know where John man was born. Barbara man was born in Indian Territory

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hillsman Stancel wife lived in Whitfield Co Ga and the mans in Chattooga Co Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Robt Henry Stancel

Indian name: _____

Residence: dont know

(2) English name: Nancy K Stancel

Indian name: _____

Residence: Whitfield Co Ga

(3) English name: Sarah Jane Stancel

Indian name: _____

Residence: died several yrs ago

(4) English name: Hester Bowlingree man

Indian name: _____

Residence: Hamilton Co Tenn

(5) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. _____

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Hillman Stancel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

John J. Stancel

and

O. L. Etter

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *John Hillman Stancel* who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 22 years and 22 years,

respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and

that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark:

Signatures of witnesses.

John J. Stancel
O. L. Etter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Oct 9, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 12 1909
No. 20355

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May 10th
1909

Rossville Ga
Mr Union Miller

Dear Sir
I Will drop you a few lines to let you
know that I Want to find out
About my Claim Will you please find
out What they have done about my
Claim and Write and tell me if you
have any Idea When the money Will be
paid out please answer this soon

Yours Truly

J H Stancel
Rossville Ga

P.S.

this is my fathers application no
no 8708. he Was notified to meet the Court
of Claims at Chattanooga Tennessee
but I was not his name is John James
Stancel

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 1 1908
No. 20355.

F.S.T.

appln no 20355 & 20356

Koss vice 3rd
march the 30th 1908
Mr. Gunion Miller Special
Commissioner in answer to
your letter of the 18th of which
I received the 28th as to why
my parents or grand parents
were never enrolled I don't
know my father says he never
heard of any enrollment till
a few years back none of my
ancestors were ever claimed as
I know of all I know is
that I was all ways told that
that we had Cherokee Blood
the family has all ways
claimed it and some of
them show it that is
all I know the Starnes
claim their Cherokee blood from
Milly Hitover who married
John Starnes my father's
great grand father

Yours Respectfully
John H Starnes

334/210.

Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

Establish your right to share in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable tending to

show any of your ancestors' names.

Your parents and your grandparents were never enrolled.

In favor of the Eastern Cherokees. Please state why you

in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

Relative to your application for participation

Att:

#20356

Rossville, Ga.

John H. Stencel.

#20355
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Abilin. No. 50352-50356.

March 18, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20355-20356.

March 18, 1908.

John H. Stancel.

Rossville, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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No. 20356.

Action: *Refused*

Name *Malinda Daniel* and *1* children. Residence: *Prentiss, Ga.*

Reasons:

Daughter of # 20353 and claims through the same source.

20356

No. 20356
Name J. H. Mulkey
With No. 20353
Remarks:

They are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.
Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John M. Castleberry
C. M. J. [illegible]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Dec. 31st 1908.
Wm. O. Jones
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20356

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Malinda Daniel for
minor child
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS.
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 3 1907
No.

L. B. JONES.

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CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Oway Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20356.

1. State your full name: Malinda Daniel
2. Residence and post office: Dreulton
3. County: Dade
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: April 1st 1885
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Thomas L. Daniel Aged 25
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Tribe
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lettie Daniel</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>April 25 1903</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Malinda Daniel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of August 1907.

My Commission expires

Dec 31st, 1908.

W. D. Reese Notary Public
and Deputy Clerk

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me _____ and _____

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Malinda Daniel who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 15 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John M. Castlebury
R. M. Lynam

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires Dec 31st 1904, 190 &

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No. 20-356

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

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FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the *Court of Claims* of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906. COURT OF CLAIMS

EASTERN CHEROKEES

SEP 3 1901

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STONER

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

Supl.

No. 20356

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John H. Mulkey, for his
daughter, Malinda Daniel
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee ~~Ind. Off.~~ by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.
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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec MAR 30 1907 No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20356

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— *Malinda Daniel*
English name: *Malinda John Mulkey for his daughter*
Indian name: *Malinda Daniel*
2. Residence: *Trenton Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Trenton*
4. County: *Peach*
5. State: *Ga*
6. Date and place of birth: *Peach Co Ga April The 1 1885*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *my great gran mother on father side and great gran mother on mother side. John H Mulkey makes this claim for his daughter Malinda Daniel, who is confined by sickness and cant get any where to file her own claim. I therefore file for her*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Thomas L Daniel*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John H Mulkey*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Cornelia Mulkey*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Cornelia Wallace*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Gilmer Co Ga*
Mother: *Jackson Co Ala*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *was not born*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Piller Odessa Mulkey	March 2 1879	March 29 1879
(2)	Ann Mulkey	May 27 1881	Oct 14 1881
(3)	James Mulkey	Sep 12 1883	Oct 20 1884
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
John E. Mulkey	Lindie Mulkey
Henry Wooten	Booker Wooten

17. Where were they born? in Hillman Co Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Hillman Co Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Jennie Mulkey	Dead 1887
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(2) English name:	John H. Mulkey	
Indian name:		
Residence:	Trenton Ga	
(3) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(4) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		
(5) English name:		
Indian name:		
Residence:		

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claim.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Robert Page and Alexander Jeffries, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John H. Mulkey, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

O. D. Steele
James Daniel

Signatures of witnesses.

Robert Page
Alexander Jeffries

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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AGENT FRANKLIN LIFE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

EDITOR
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RUSSELL F. TATUM

Attorney-at-law

Special Attention to Collections and Administration of Estates.

TRENTON, GA., Nov. 3rd 1908

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Guyon Miller-Special Agent,

Court of Indian Claims.

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir :-

Having been impleyed as attorney to look
after the claims of Mrs. Malinda Daniel and her
child, Lettie Daniel-under application No.20356
which was filed at Chattanooga, Tenn. in last year,
would thank you to inter my name as their attorney.
Also, inter my name as attorney for Wm. Ruth, formerly
of New England City, Ga., now of Wildwood, Ga. His
claim or application No. 206308.

If you can furnish any information as to
when these claims will be disposed of it will
save me a great deal of annoyance and put the minds
of these and other applicants in this section at
ease.

Yours very truly,

Russell F. Tatum

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 9 1909
No. 70356

Eastern Cherokee Enrollment.

Application No. 20356.

Power of Attorney.

Georgia, Dade County.

Know all men by these presents:

That undersigned has constituted, made and appointed, and by these presents does make, constitute and appoint R. F. Tatum, of said State and county by true and lawful attorney in fact, for me and in my name, place and stead, to recived all monies; and represent me in all matters pertaining to my claim for a share of the alletment of the money to be apprdperated by the U. S. Government ~~in~~ through the Court of Claims at Washington, D. C., in the Cherokee Indian Allotment- soon to be made, giveing and granting unto my said attorney, full and complete power and authority in and about the premises; and generally to do and perform all and every act and acts, thing and things, devise and devises, in the law whatsoever needful and necessary to be done in and about the premises, and for me and in my name to do, execute and perform, as largely and amply, to all intents and purposes, as I might or could do if I were personally present; hereby ratifying and cenfirming all that my said attorney or substitute shall lawfully do by virtue hereof.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this June 7 1909.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presents-

of H. H. Walker
C. F. Walker

(SEAL)

AGENT:
FRANKLIN LIFE INSURANCE CO.

OFFICE OF
RUSSELL F. TATUM
ATTORNEY AT LAW

SPECIAL
ATTENTION TO COLLECTIONS

TRENTON, GA. June 8th 1899

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

Eastern Cherokee Enrollment.

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir :- Herewith I hand you
power-of-attorney to me from Malinda Daniel,
with reference to the matter of her claim in
the Eastern Cherokee Enrollment. Kindly enroll
my name as her attorney and oblige,

Yours very truly,

Russell F. Tatum

No. 20,957

Name Edward Kellogg and _____ children. Action: Rejected

Reasons: _____ Residence: 201 Bell St.
Chattanooga Tenn.

It does not appear that applicant or any of his
ancestors were ever engaged. It does not appear
that they were parties to the treaty of 1835-6, or 1846, or that
they were recognized members of the Cherokee tribe.

Misc. Treat P., 54-55.

Field: Chattanooga
Hamilton Co, Tenn.

No. 20357

Name Edward Kellogg

With No.

Remarks:

Call to attention of
Special Commissioner

Wm. H. Lee

Field, Chatt.

Tenn.

Awaiting reply to letters.

No. 20357

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Edward Kellogg

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokees by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No. L. B. JONES
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CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20357

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Edward Kellogg

Indian name:

Chattanooga Tenn

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

201 Bell St. Chattanooga

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

Feb 11th 1859

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim through my mother

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Lulla Kellogg

Aged 64 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Isom Kellogg

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Harriet Kellogg

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Harriet Woodliff

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Georgia Ga

Mother:

" " "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Georgia Ga

Mother:

" " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Died 25 years ago

Mother:

Died in 1905

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Theodor Kellogg	1857	1897
(2)	Jefferson "	1861	1894
(3)	Jackson "	1863	1894
(4)	Jane "	1865	1897
(5)	Albion "	1867	Living
(6)	Palma Thompson	1870	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Edward Kellogg	Rock. Old Rock
Hannah "	Leila Thadliff

17. Where were they born? *Torsyth Co Ga. for Kelloggs*
Old Rock Cherokee Co Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Torsyth Co Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side: none

(1) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

Mother's side:

(2) English name: *Green Thadliff*
Indian name: *Died in 1934*
Residence: _____

(3) English name: *Raphel Thadliff*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Torsyth Co Ga*

(4) English name: *Oscar Thadliff*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Torsyth Co Ga*

(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

E. Kellogg

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Putnam and Alonzo Shields who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Edward Kellogg who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Lillie Douglas
Robert A. Douglass

Signatures of witnesses.

John X Putnam
Alonzo Shields

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Mch, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

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was, from his own last recollection, that he was, and is $\frac{1}{16}$ Cherokee blood, his information that he has a good to believe it, and that he does believe it, and claims a fair and impartial investigation of his case. Claimant states, that none of his ancestors were slaves, either of white or Indians

The foregoing Affidavit sworn to, and subscribed before me on the day and date herein written, and I certify that I have no interest in this claim, that my Commission expires Oct 9, 1911

Ed Kellogg
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 25 1908
No. 20337.

State of Tennessee }
County of Hamilton } On this 23rd day of March
1908. Personally came before
me a Notary Public, within and for
the County and State aforesaid: Edward Kellogg
who being duly sworn by me, makes the follow-
ing statement to wit; that he is 49 yrs old, that
his P.O. address is no 201 Belt at Chattanooga
Tenn. That the number of his application for
participation in the distribution of the fund in fa-
vor of Eastern Cherokees, is 20,357. That the only
reason he can assign, for not being enrolled, as
an Eastern Cherokee, is, that he knew nothing of any such
enrollment being made, had no opportunity to sur-
vey his name as such, that at the time he made
out and filed his application, as above stated, he
gave the name of his mother, through whom he
claims his Cherokee blood, and the names of his grand-
parents, on his mother's side; That his grand-
mother, his mother's mother, whose name was
Cecilia Woodliff, as claimant was informed by his own
mother, and was a full blood Cherokee Indian, there-
fore, his mother was $\frac{1}{2}$ Cherokee blood, and claimant
presumed, that, one or both of them were enrolled
at some of the various enrollments made of the
Eastern Cherokee, and if it is a fact that neither
of them was enrolled; Claimant does not know the
reason why, unless it was that they had no notice
of such enrollments being made and had no
opportunity to enroll their names. This is
a reasonable presumption; Claimant's information

was, from his earliest recollection, that he was, and is $\frac{1}{16}$ Cherokee blood, this information he obtained from his mother, and he claims that he has a good to believe it, and that he does believe, it, and claims a fair and impartial investigation of his case. Claimant states, that none of his ancestors were slaves, either of white or Indians.

The foregoing: affidavit sworn to, and subscribed before me on the day and date therein written, and I certify that I have no interest in this claim, that my Commission expires Oct 9, 1911

E. H. Matthews Notary Public



In re No. 20357.

and says: Charley W. Stewart, being duly sworn, deposes

My name is Charley Stewart. I am about sixty years old. Live in Chattanooga. I know Edward Kellogg and have known him for ten or twelve years, possibly fifteen years. I knew his mother. She was then living near Rome, Ga. I did not know her until after her marriage. Her father, Old Rock, was a full Indian. I knew Old Rock. Edward Kellogg was never a slave. Neither was his father. Old Rock lived with the tribe. He was a Cherokee Indian, and came from Cherokee mountain. He was also known as Old Cherokee Rock.

Copy of Charley W. Stewart
Signature of witness.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, at Chattanooga, Tenn., this 18th day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Assistant to the Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

Appln. No. 20857.

says. Edward Kellogg, being duly sworn, deposes and

My name is Edward Kellogg. My age is 51 years. I live here in Chattanooga. I have lived here five years. I lived at Cartersville, Bartow Co., Ga. before coming here. I was born Cass Co., Ga. I was never enrolled and do not know why I was not. I was never a slave. ~~My father was Isom Kellogg. My father was never a slave. Harriett Kellogg was my mother's name. She belonged to the Cherokees. My mother's father was a full-blood. My mother has been dead about five or six years. My mother was raised in Georgia. My mother was never enrolled that I know of. My mother's father was named Old Rock. I have heard y mother say that my grandfather, Old Rock, was a full-blooded Indian. He lived near Rome, Ga. I never heard that he was enrolled.~~

Ed. Kellogg
Signature of witness.

Sworn and subscribed before me, at Chattanooga, Tenn, this 18th day of June, 1908.

ASm
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

Chief Clerk.

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Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

To expedite your right to share in this fund.

Give and other information of principle regarding
these and of your ancestors ever slaves.

Your parents and your grandparents' records are enrolled?
In favor of the Eastern Cherokees? Please state with you
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
relative to your application for participation
aid:

On February 1, 1900.

501 Wolf Street.

Edward J. J. J.

Abdulla No. 50222.

March 18, 1900.

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Appln. No. 20357.

March 18, 1908.

Edward Kellogg,

201 Belt Street,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/EJO.

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No. 20358

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Barbara Stanley* and *no* children.

Residence: *Roswell Ga*

Reasons: *pro J. Stanley, Kefauver*

Daughter of 8708

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No.

20358

Name

Mr J Staniel

With No.

20354

Remarks:

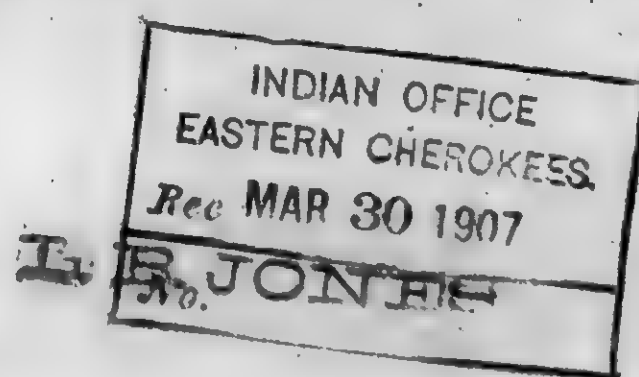
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No. 20358

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John I. Stancel for
his minor child Barbara
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.
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CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20358

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately

I make this claim for my minor child Barbara S. who is in my care and custody, and under 21 yrs old claiming Cherokee blood through his father John J. Stancel

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Barbara</u>		
(2)	<u>Barbara S Stancel</u>		<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>George W Stancel</u>	<u>Sept 1888</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>John H</u>	<u>Dec 30 1884</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>Hillsman Stancel</u>	<u>John Man</u>
<u>Sarah J</u>	<u>Barbara</u>

17. Where were they born? Hillsman Stancel born in Habersham Co - Ga
Sarah Stancel born in Habersham Co - Ga
Barbara Man was born in Indian Territory
John Man was born in Indian Territory
18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hillsman Stancel and wife
lived in Whitfield Co - Ga
Barbara Man was living in Chattooga Co - Ga, so was John Man

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Robert Henry Stancel</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>don't know</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Nancy Stancel</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Whitfield Co - Ga</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Sarah Jane Stancel</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>died several years ago</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Hester Bowling Mc Man</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____
(5)	English name: _____
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John J. Sturcel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. L. Etter and E. Kelly, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John J. Sturcel, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. C. Lane
Mrs. Warr

Signatures of witnesses.

A. L. Etter
E. Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20359.

Action: Reject.

Name Mary E. Perin and X children. Residence: East Chhatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Show absolutely no connection whatever with the Cherokee Tribe.

Miss. Inst. 174.

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Field
Hamilton Co. Penn?
No. 20357.

Name Mary E. Perin

With No.

Remarks: Grouped beneath
are nos. 20671, 20677,
20673, 21957.

Field East Chatt.
Penn.

Awaiting reply to letter.

✓
No. 20359

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary E. Perin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

G. B. JONES.

CHATTAHOOGA, TENN.

20359

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Mary E Perin*
Indian name: *East Chattanooga*
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Apr 22nd, 1856 Bradley Co Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John H Perin Aged 63 Years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Page Perkinson*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Matilda Perkinson*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Matilda O'Neale*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Warren Co NC*
Mother: *Bladale Co Tenn*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Bradley Co Tenn*
Mother: *Bladale Co "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *July 30th 1884*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>John W. Perkinson</i>	<i>Feb 19. 1860.</i>	<i>Apr 1 1883</i>
(2)	<i>Page S. "</i>	<i>June 14 1862</i>	<i>1864</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Joseph Perkinson</i>	<i>John Owens</i>
<i>Sophia "</i>	<i>Peggy "</i>

17. Where were they born? *Perkinson in Warren Co. N.C.*
The Owens. Bladensburg. Tenn.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

	English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
<i>Father's side</i>	(1) <i>Joel Perkinson</i>	<i>Deed several years ago</i>	
	(2) <i>Mary A. Roberts</i>	<i>Deed many years ago</i>	
	(3) <i>Susan Perkinson</i>	<i>Deed many years ago</i>	
<i>Mother's side</i>	(4) <i>Eliza Sewafford</i>		<i>Missouri</i>
	(5) <i>William Owens</i>	<i>Deed date not known</i>	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

James Owens died Jan 14 1876 Mary Ann 48
Ruben " " " " " "
Matilda Perkins died July 30 1884
Stephen Owens " Oct 27 1876

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Mary E. Perin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of March, 1907

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907 C. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. H. Perin and
A. C. Townsend, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Mary E. Perin, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 2 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of witnesses.
S. H. Perin
A. C. Townsend

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of March, 1907

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907 C. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 10 1908
No. 20359.

App. 20354.

State of Tennessee
County of Hamilton

On this 8. day of April, 1908:
Personally appeared before the undersigned authority, duly authorized to administer oaths: Mary E. Perrin, of East Chattanooga, Tennessee, who being sworn by me, made the following statement, to wit: That she don't know the reason why her name is not enrolled as an Eastern Cherokee, only from the fact, that she had no notice of any such enrollment being made, and never had an opportunity to enroll her name, as such:
That she can't state the reason why her parent (mother) thru whom, claimant gets her indian blood, was not enrolled, if such is the case that her name does not appear on the rolls, unless it was that she had no notice of such enrollments being made, and had no opportunity to enroll her name as an Eastern Cherokee.
That claimant presumed that her grand mother on her mother's side had at some time, of the various enrollments of the Cherokee, been identified as a Cherokee descendant. But she was not. Claimant does not know the reason.
Claimant further stating says that none of her people; parents or grand parents, were slaves of either white people or indians. That she was informed by her mother, from her earliest recollection, that she, claimant, was a descendant of the Cherokee Tribe.
The foregoing was subscribed and sworn to before me, day and date above written, and I certify that I have no interest in this claim, that my commission expires Oct. 9, 1911.
Mary E. Perrin
Notary Public

WAC/310.

Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

Respectful your right to share in this fund.

Give and offer information opportunities coming to
end of your ancestors slaves?

Parents and your grandparents were never enrolled, were
favor of the Western Shoshone. Please state why you want
the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in
relative to your application for participation in
trust:

Best Chittenden, Conn.

Wm. S. Ferris.

Wm. S. Ferris.

March 10, 1900.

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Appln. No. 20359.

March 18, 1908.

Mary E. Perrin.

East Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

WST/EJO.

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C. N. C.

No. 20359.

Page 5. Perkinson, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is P. J. Perkinson. Mary E. Perin is my daughter. Matilda Perkinson, was my wife and the mother of Mary E. Perin. My wife claimed Indian blood, of the Cherokee tribe. My wife was living in Bradley County, Tennessee at the time of my marriage. She was not living with the Indians at her marriage. I do not know of her associating with the Indians. My wife was never enrolled to my knowledge. I do not know why.

copy M. C. J. Perkinson
Signature of witness.

Subscribed to and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn., this 18th day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Assistant to Special
Commissioner of the Court of
Claims.

No. 20359.

Mary E. Perin, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

Mary E. Perin is my name. I am 53 years old. I live at Sherman Heights, Hamilton County, Tennessee. I have never received any money. I claim through my mother. She belonged to the Cherokee tribe. My mother was never enrolled to my knowledge. In 1835 my mother lived in White county, Tennessee. I do not know why my mother was not enrolled in 1835-6. My mother taught me that she was of Cherokee Indian blood. I never knew my mother to visit any tribe of Indians. My mother has been dead 22 years. I am the wife of John H. Perin.

Copied Mary E. Perin
Signature of witness.

Subscribed to and sworn to before me, at Chattanooga, Tennessee, this Eighteenth day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

No. 20360.

Name: Sallie L. Reed

and X children.

East
Residence: 7

Action: Reject
Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20348.

No.

29360

Name

Sallie L Reed Sr.

With No.

29348

Remarks:

No. 20360

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sally Reed Sr

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 13, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAR 30 1907

T. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20360

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Sallie Reed Sr*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *East Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sep 3 1887. Hamilton Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Cherokee blood through my mother Lucinda C. Reed.*
8. Are you married? *no*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *James Reed*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Lucinda C Reed*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Lucinda Reed (married a man of same name)*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Hamilton County Tenn*
Mother: *in state of Ala*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Hamilton Tennessee*
Mother: *Murray Co Ga*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 1901* Mother: *died 1903*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Reed	May 8, 1873	Living
(2)	Henry	"	Febr 5, 1876
(3)	Birtel	"	Jan 25, 1890
(4)	Annie	"	Oct 1, 1892
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Samuel Reed	M. Menzie Reed
Elizabeth	Nancy A "

17. Where were they born? M. Menzie Reed, born in Knox Co Tenn
Nancy A Reed in DeWitt Co Tenn. Samuel Reed born

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? don't know where Elizabeth Reed was born
M. Menzie Reed wife
Nancy A Reed lived in Murray Co Ga. Samuel Reed and wife
Elizabeth Reed. lived in Hamilton Co Tenn

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

(1)	English name: William Reed	Indian name:	Residence: Grayville Ga
(2)	English name: Gram Reed	Indian name:	Residence: Hamilton Co Tenn
(3)	English name: Samuel Reed	Indian name:	Residence: died about 10 yrs ago
(4)	English name: Margaret Elvira Reed	Indian name:	Residence: died 25 yrs ago
(5)	English name:	Indian name:	Residence: died 25 yrs ago

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Sallie L Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Elizabeth Tripp and Gertie Reed, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sallie L Reed, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 19 years and 17 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Elizabeth Tripp

Gertie Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20361.

Name Gertie Reed and X children. Residence: East Lehigh Penn. Action: Reject.

Reasons: by
Sallie H. Reed

claims through the same source as # 20348.

No. 20361
Name Sallie Reed
With No. 20360
Remarks:

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Sallie L. Reed
For
her minor sister Gertrude

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE EASTERN CHEROKEES. MAR 30 1907 No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20361

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Sallie L. Reed for her minor

Indian name:

sister Bertie Reed

2. Residence:

East Chattanooga

3. Town and post office:

East Chattanooga

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

Sept 3rd 1887, Hamilton Tenn

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make this claim for my minor sister Bertie Reed, who is under 21 years old, and in my care and custody, and claims her Indian blood through her mother Lucinda Reed.

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

James Reed

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Lucinda L Reed

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Lucinda Reed (didn't change name by marriage)

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Hamilton County Tenn

Mother:

in State of Ala Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Hamilton Co Tenn

Mother:

Murray Co Ga

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

died 1901

Mother:

died 1903

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William Reed	May 8, 1873	Living
(2)	Harry	Feb 5, 1876	"
(3)	Amiel	Oct 1, 1892	"
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Amiel Reed	M McKenzie Reed
Elizabeth	Nancy A

17. Where were they born? M McKenzie Reed born in Knox Co. Tenn

Nancy A. Reed in Seviere Co Tenn Amiel Reed, born in Knox Co-Tenn. dont know where Elizabeth Reed was born

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? M McKenzie Reed wife

Nancy A. lived in Murray Co. Ga Amiel Reed wife Elizabeth Reed lived in Hamilton Co Tenn

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: William Reed

Indian name:

Residence: Graysville G

(2) English name: Green Reed

Indian name:

Residence: Hamilton Co Tenn

(3) English name: Samuel Reed

Indian name:

Residence: died 10 yrs ago

(4) English name: Margaret Elmore Reed

Indian name:

Residence: died 2.5 yrs ago

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I dont know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Sallie L Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Elizabeth Tripp and Sallie Reed, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sallie L Reed, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 19 years and 9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Lizzie Tripp

Sallie Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20362 Action: Rejected
Name Richard Dunn and X children. Residence Chattanooga, Tenn
Reasons: Applicants ancestors were not
enrolled.

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No. 20362

Reject

Name Richard Dunn

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Flaws.
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

20362

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Richard Quinn

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20362

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Richard Dunn
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Chattanooga Tenn
3. Town and post office: 30 Grove St Alley Chattanooga
4. County: Hamilton
5. State: Tennessee
6. Date and place of birth: Sept 20th 1856 Greensboro Ga
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through my mother.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennie Dunn Aged 42 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Isaac Dunn
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Marcha Dunn
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Marcha Billips
11. Where were they born?
Father: Galliver Co Ga
Mother: Mathis " Va
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Galliver Co Ga
Mother: Greene Co " Ga
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: 1896 Mother: Sept 2nd 1895

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

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5. State: Tennessee
6. Date and place of birth: Sept 20th 1856 Greensboro Ga
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through my mother.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennie Dunn aged 42 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Isaac Dunn
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Martha Dunn
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Martha Billips
11. Where were they born?
Father: Galliver Co Ga
Mother: Mathis " Va
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Galliver Co Ga
Mother: Greene Co " Ga
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: 1896 Mother: Sept 2nd 1895

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I do not know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Beauregard Dunn	Don't know	Living
(2)	Harriet Briddell	" "	Died 20 years ago
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

possible.

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
John. Know		George Billups	
4	4	Lucy	"

17. Where were they born? *Mathis Co ra*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths
 Mother's side:

(1) English name: George Billups
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: Mathis Co. Va

(2) English name: Richard Billups
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: Mathis Co. Va

(3) English name: _____
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: _____

(4) English name: _____
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: _____

(5) English name: _____
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Richard Dunn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octr, 190*7*

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Jennie Dunn* and *Terrance Map*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Richard Dunn*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *23* years and *23* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Annie Russell
Alice H. Camp

Signatures of witnesses.

Jennie Dunn
Terrance Map

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octr, 190*7*

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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W.S./M.D.

Chief Clerk.

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

Establish your right to share in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable tending to
enroll you were any of your ancestors slaves?

Why for your parents and your grandparents were never
claiming in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. Please state
in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of

Relative to your application for participation

Sir:

Chattahoochee, Tenn.

30 Grove St. Albany,

Richard Dunn

App'n. No. 20362.

March 10, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20362.

March 18, 1908.

Richard Dunn,
30 Grove St. Alley,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 23 1908
No. 20362.

day and date herein written and certify that
I have no interest in this claim, and
that my Commission expires 9, Oct 1891
W. Matthews
Notary Public

State of Tennessee } ss On this 20th day of
County of Hamilton } March 1908. Personally
appeared before me, a Notary Public
within and for the County and State aforesaid,
Richard Drum, who being duly sworn, by me,
makes the following statement, that he is now a resident
of No 30 Grove St. Chattanooga Tennessee. That
his application for participation in the fund in fa-
vor of the Eastern Cherokee Indians, is no-20362.
That if, he, or his parents and grand parents
names do not appear on the rolls, Claimant don't
know the reason why, unless it was a fact that
neither had any notice, or knew any thing
about any such enrollment being made at any
of the dates given. That his mother was a slave of
white people, That his grand father's name was George
Billups, on his mother's side and free born, and was
a full blood Cherokee Indian; That his mother
was as Claimant is informed that ~~his~~ was taken
from her home in Mathis County Va, and sold into
Slavery, and she claimed to be Cherokee, that she told
Claimant that she was about 10 years old, when she was
"abducted," and taken from her people, and taken to Augusta
Ga. and was there retained in Slavery, until all slaves
were emancipated; Now having fully answered and
explained his situation, Claimant demands a square
deal, and full investigation of his case.

Richard Drum

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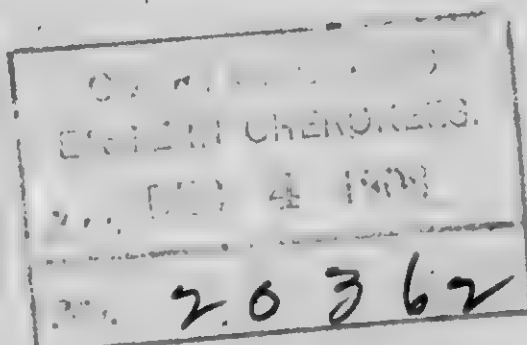
The foregoing affidavit was
sworn and subscribed before me this
day and date therein written and I certify that
I have no interest in this claim, and
that my Commission expires 9, Oct 1911
E. Matthews
Notary Publication



Whittanooga, Tenn.
Dec 1, 1908.

Dear Sir,

I heard through
Attorney Mathew. that the
would be another court held
here in this city between
now and Texas,
the reason I asked the question
Question I was thinking
of leaving the city,
I never had any notice to
meet the last court.



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And I was Thinking
I might get one to meet
this recent Court.

And I thought I would
wait untill it was over
if it was needed, providing
it be true. About the
Court,

Very respectfully
Richard, Dunn,
30 Grove St.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SEP 1 1909

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Time so handled

Chattanooga Tenn. Aug. 28th, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller;

Dear Sir, I find that it is most impossible for me to get the required affidavits to support my exceptions to your report on my application for participation in the appropriation made for the Eastern Cherokee Indian, in the time given, to wit, Aug. 30th, 1909. as the parties by whom I wish to make the proof are so badly scattered. So please let me know whether or not there will be an extension of the time in which to file said exceptions.

and greatly oblige yours &c.

Richard D. Dunn

Address

Grove St. Alley #30

No. 20362

Sept/ 1st, 1909.

Richard Dunn,
Grove St. Alley #30,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of Aug. 28th, 1909 you are
advised that the time for filing exceptions to my report of
May 28th, 1909 has been extended to Oct. 30th, 1909.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM/MEH

No. 20363.

Action: *Recd*

Name: *Effie Covington* and *X* children. Residence: *Dodge, Ga.*

Reasons:

See mother's application # 20413.

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No. 20363

Name Belle Covington

With No. 20334

Remarks:

No. 20363

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Belle Covington
OF
For
her minor child Effie

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE.
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 30 1907
No.

H. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20363

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Belle Covington for her minor
Indian name: Child Effie Covington
2. Residence: Chattooga Co - Ga
3. Town and post office: Dodge
4. County: Walker
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: March 19, 1861 Summerville Ga
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I make this claim for my minor child Effie, who is under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody, and claims its Cherokee blood through its mother Belle Covington
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: S F Covington 49 yrs old
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: S F Covington
Indian name:
Mother—English name: Belle "
Indian name:
Maiden name: Belle Williams
11. Where were they born?
Father: Cherokee County Ala
Mother: Summerville Chattooga Co - Ga
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: was not born
Mother: " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Living Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	James Covington	Apr 27, 1887	Living
(2)	Artie "	Jan 16, 1900	"
(3)	Dewitt "	May 5, 1891	"
(4)	Edith "	Dec 11, 1898	"
(5)	D Forrest "	Apr 26, 1881	"
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Franklin Covington	David McFarland
Mariah "	Adeline " nee Jones
	Indian name Kate Humphill

17. Where were they born? Gr parents on fathers side born in Va

Gr father M Farland born in Lebanon Ala. Gr mother in Benton County Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gr parents on fathers side in Chattooga Co. Ga. Gr parents on mothers side St Clair Co. Alabama

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>Forrest Williams</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Hill City Tenn</u>
(2)	English name: <u>Willie Ann Williams</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>died 17 yrs ago</u>
(3)	English name: <u>Alkar Williams</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>died 10 yrs ago</u>
(4)	English name: <u>Katie Williams</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>Hill City Tenn</u>
(5)	English name: <u>Klyde Williams</u>
	Indian name: _____
	Residence: <u>died 17 yrs ago</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Belle Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Oct 9, 1907

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S F Covington and Adaline Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Belle Covington, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and 46 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J J Estess
Walter Thompson

Signatures of witnesses.

S F Covington
Adaline Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 2 1907
No. 20362

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Chattanooga, Tenn.,
Nov 28, 1907.

Dear Sir,

I wanted to know
Since Mr S. B. Jones death
was it necessary for me to get
another Attorney indence
of the Cherokees claim.
Mr Mathes told me that I
would have to transfer my
papers to A. R. Jones,
unthoughtful I did so. A. R.

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Jones told me that he
would charge me forty per-
cent. I thought over it and
went back for my papers
and he refuse to give,
them up. I told him I didn't
think I needed any longer.
My card said if any more
information I would be
notified, please write me
the understandings about
it.

respectfully

Richard. Dunn,
30. grove sts. Ally,

App. #20362.

December 3, 1907.

Richard Dunn,

30 Grove Street,

Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of November 28, 1907, you are advised that your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund is on file in this office and will receive due consideration in its regular order.

All applications filed by the late L. B. Jones, of Chattanooga, will be taken up and carefully considered and the claimants will be enrolled if they are found to be entitled.

This investigation will be made regardless of whether claimants are represented by attorneys.

If the claim is particularly complicated a local attorney might be of service to the Commissioner, but is not required by this office.

The compensation of forty per cent, mentioned in your letter, would certainly be extortionate.

Very respectfully,

NLC.

Special Commissioner.

No. 20364

Name *W^m Bains*

Action: *Rejected*

and *X* children.

Residence: *Cartersville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First cousin once removed of #6289 and claims
this same source.*

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#19545.

See

#, 9546-52.

No. 20364
Name Jm. Gains
With No. 10294

Remarks:

*McCoy and re-
moted 10794*
No. 20864
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William Gomis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *William Goins*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Carterville Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 26 " 1873. Cannon County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *I am widower*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Joshua G. Goins*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Catherine Goins*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Catherine Goins*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Hamilton County Tennessee*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Hamilton County Tennessee*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Died 23 years ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Thomas Goins	Jan 25 1871	Living
(2)	Colonel "	Feb 7 1877	"
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Gillman Goins	Sauford Goins
Dinah	Charity

17. Where were they born? All born in North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tellman Goins & Sauford Goins dead Dinah Goins & Charity Goins in Hamilton County Tennessee in 1851

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Travis side

(1)	English name: James Goins	Indian name:	Residence: Indian Territory
(2)	English name: Spencer Goins	Indian name: Died 40 years ago	Residence:
(3)	English name: Miller Goins	Indian name:	Residence: Rhea County Tenn
(4)	English name: William Goins	Indian name: Died during Civil war	Residence:
(5)	English name: Joshua G Goins	Indian name:	Residence: Franklin County Tenn

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

maternal side, Nathan Gorins. Montevalle, Georgia
Rhoda " Jackson Co Ala
Sarah A "

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
John Hemmick
Robert Page

(Signature.) William X Gorins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires 9 Octr, 1907 E. Matthews
Notary Public,

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nathan Gorins and Marshal Gorins who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Gorins, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 34 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark
John Hemmick

Robert Page

Signature of witnesses
Nathan X Gorins
Marshal X Gorins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires 9 Octr, 1907 E. Matthews
Notary Public.

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Unclaimed return to

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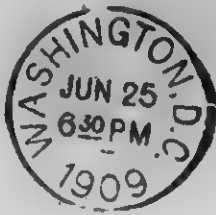
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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~~Washington, D.C.~~
Continental Building, Tenn.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.



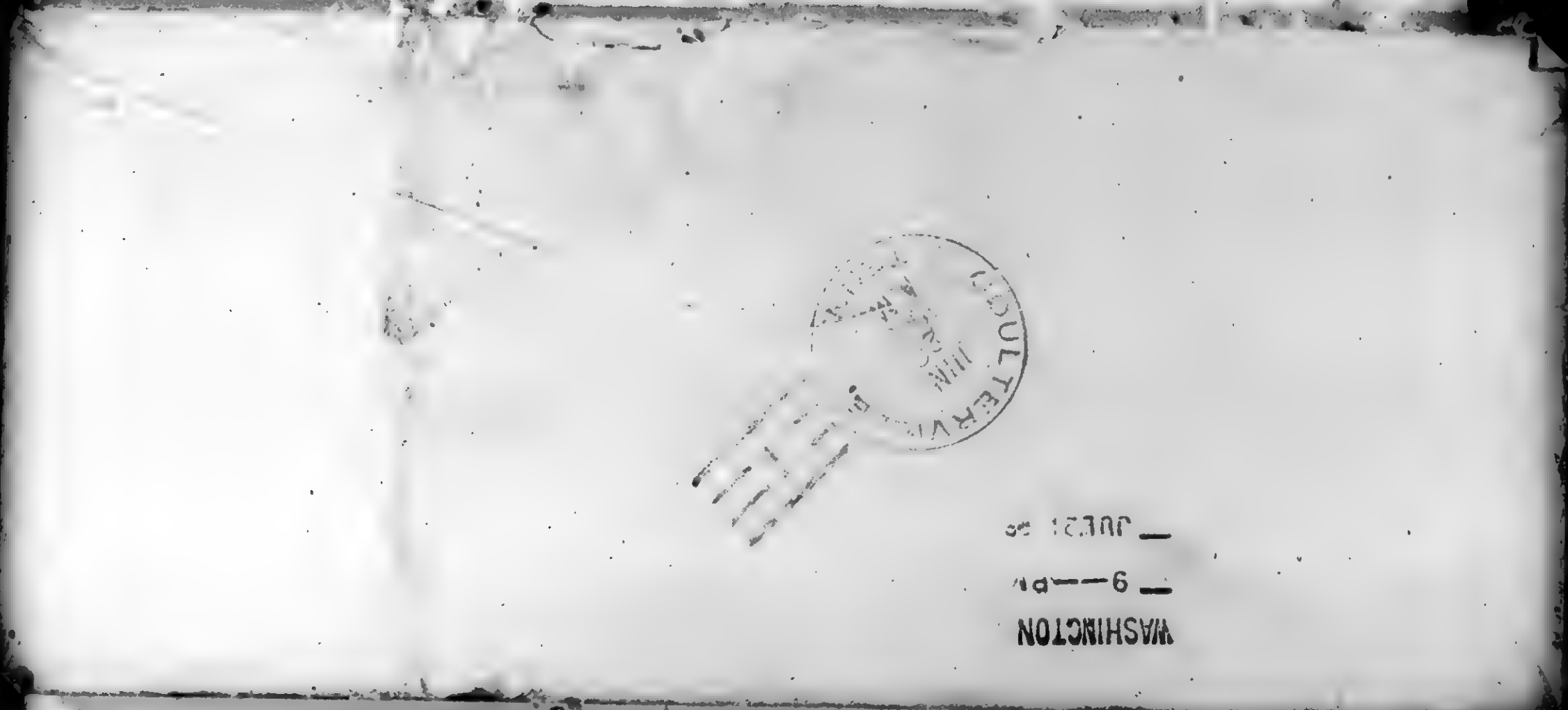
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~~William Goins,~~

~~Covingtonville, Tenn.~~



SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
801 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

William Jones,
Cartersville, Tenn.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 22364, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 2036 6

Action: *Refused*

Name *Caroline Lane* and *no* children. Residence: *East Lane, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Applicant is a cousin of 18218.

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No.

Name

Sam'l Lane et al

With No.

18218

Remarks:

Cl. Thos Saunders

✓ *Caroline*
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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Caroline Lane

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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AGENCY OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20365

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

my mother

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Jasper Talley	Don't know	Living
(2)	Martha Spradling	Oct. 3 1851	"
(3)	Addie Jenkins	— 1853	"
(4)	Elizabeth Gray	July 5 1857	"
(5)	Jackson Talley	Aug 12 1859	"
(6)	Jephtha Talley	Dec 27 1861	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Jephtha Talley	Sanders
Elizabeth "	Elizabeth Sanders

17. Where were they born? Murree County Tennessee the Talleys South Carolina the Sanders

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? South All lived in Murree Tenn in 1851

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

on Father's side

(1) English name: Houston Talley
Indian name: Died about 15 years ago
Residence:

(2) English name: Mary Webb
Indian name: Died about 11 years ago
Residence:

(3) English name: Eliza Talley
Indian name: Died about 25 years ago
Residence:

on Mother's side

(4) English name: Jackson Sanders
Indian name: Died about 15 years ago
Residence:

(5) English name: Martha Turkey
Indian name: Died 40 years ago
Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

Sarah Robinson: died about 10 years ago
Nancy McMillan " " 8 " " "

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Caroline Lane

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Clara A. Smith and Marguerite Lewis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Caroline Lane, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Clara A. Smith

Marguerite Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

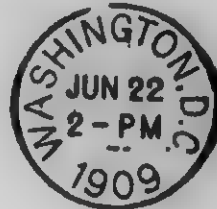
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E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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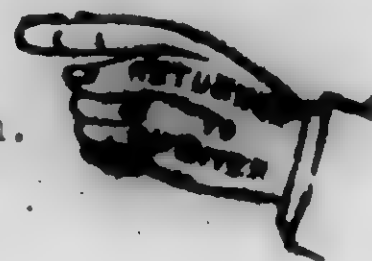
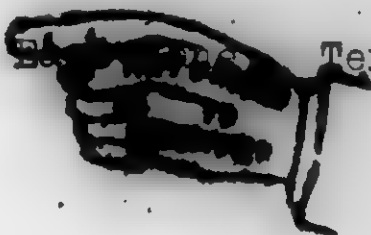
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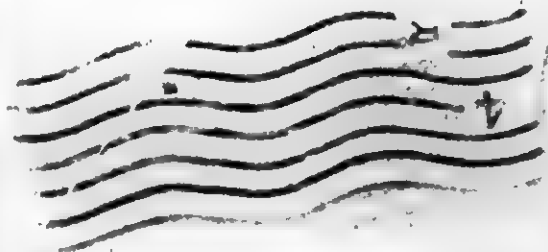
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Mr. Chairman
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Party not known Caroline Lane,
Tenn.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Caroline Lane,
East Lake, Tenn.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20365, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 50366

Action: *Rejected*

Name *David Lamine* and *no* children. Residence: *East Lake, Tenn.*

Reasons: *Storied family*

It does not appear that applicant or his ancestors were ever enrolled. It does not appear that they were parties to the treaty 1855-67/1846, or that they lived within the Cherokee domain as members of the tribe. It does appear that applicant's grand-mother and great-grandmother, though, upon the claims, did not live with the Cherokee tribe, but that they visited them.

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No. 20366

Name Marcia Louise

With No. _____

Remarks:

Grouped herewith
are nos. 20367, 20480,
20491, 20492, 20493,
20500.

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Hild, Hamilton Co.
Perm.

Awaiting reply to letter.

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20 367.

20 480

20 491

20 493

20 500.

No. 20366

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Norcie Louise
For
her minor child David

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
No.

J. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20366

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Narcise Louise for her minor*
Indian name: *Child David Louise*
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: *East Lake*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *July 11, 1857 Marion County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for minor Child David, through my mother his grand mother, said child being in my care & custody and under 21 yrs old*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Jacob F Louise 57 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Jacob F Louise*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Narcise* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Narcise Dagan*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Germany*
Mother: *Marion County Tenn*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *don't know*
Mother: *Marion County, is where my parents lived*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Clatie Louise</i>	<i>27 Sep 1885</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Emma</i>	<i>20 Mar 1890</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Neune</i>	<i>18 Sep 1892</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Jacob</i>	<i>26 May 1894</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Philip</i>	<i>26 " 1894</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Jacob Louise</i>	<i>Frank Dagan</i>
<i>Rebecca</i>	<i>Jane</i>

17. Where were they born? *Gr father & Gr mother Louise born in Germany. Gr father Dagan in Ireland & Gr mother Dagan born in Cherokee County Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr parents on father's side were dead. Gr father & Gr mother Dagan lived in Marion County Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <i>John Dagan</i>
	Indian name: <i></i>
	Residence: <i>Alabama</i>
(2)	English name: <i>Josephine Jones nee Dagan</i>
	Indian name: <i></i>
	Residence: <i>Marion County Tenn</i>
(3)	English name: <i>Columbus Dagan</i>
	Indian name: <i></i>
	Residence: <i>Marion County Tenn</i>
(4)	English name: <i>Thomas Dagan</i>
	Indian name: <i></i>
	Residence: <i>Marion County Tenn</i>
(5)	English name: <i>Juda Anderson nee Dagan</i>
	Indian name: <i></i>
	Residence: <i>Nashville Tenn</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Narcise Louise*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me and

....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Narcise Louise*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and *4* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Caroline Lane

Clara A. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 25 1908
No. 20366.

Notary Public

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State of Tennessee } On this 23 day of March 1908
County of Hamilton } Personally appeared before me
a Notary Public, within and for the County
and State aforesaid, Narcis Louise, who being
duly sworn by me, makes the following statement
to wit: That she is 51 yrs old, that her P O address
is East Lake Tenn. That the number of her
application for prorata of the Eastern Cherokee
fund is 20,366. Claimant states positively, that
she was never a slave, and neither her parents
or grand parents were slaves of either white
people or indians. Further stating Claimant
says, she can not assign any reason, why, she
was not enrolled, only that she had no notice
of any such enrollment being made, that she
resided in a remote part of the country, and
never heard of an enrollment of the Cherokee
indians be made. That she claims her Cherokee
blood from her mother, who, as far back as, she,
Claimant, can remember, was informed, that,
her grand mother on her mother's side was a
full blood Cherokee indian, and her grand father
was a white man, consequently Claimant's mother
was a $\frac{1}{2}$ brsd, and Claimant $\frac{1}{4}$. This information
came to Claimant thru her mother, and Claimant
asserts that she believs it is true and has a good
right to believ it. That she presumed they were
enrolled at some the various enrollments,
but, if neither of them are, Claimant does not
know the reason why, unless it was that they
had no notice of such enrollments being

or had no opportunity to enroll their
nouns, as Cherokee, Indians. But for fair
dealing in this matter claimant demands
an unbiased investigation of her case

The foregoing Affidavit was subscribed
and sworn to before me on the day and
I certify that I have no interest in this
claim, and that my Commission expires
Oct 9, 1911

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public



Appln. No. 20492-20366.

Narcise Louise, being duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

My name is Narcise Louise. I am 51 years old. I live at East Lake, Hamilton Co., Tenn. I was born and raised in Marion County, Tennessee. I was never enrolled. I claim through my mother my Indian blood. My mother's name was Jane Keith, or Keef. She was raised in Cherokee Co., Ga. My mother was never enrolled. I never heard her say why she was not enrolled. Her maiden name was Winnit. My mother claimed through ~~her father, George Keith, who was a Cherokee Indian.~~ her mother, Betsey Keef. My grandmother was a Cherokee Indian. My mother was a half-breed. My mother and my grandmother visited the Indians and were visited by them. I never heard anything about my grandmother being enrolled. My mother and my grandmother were recognized as white. None of us were ever slaves. There is no other relative to my knowledge who could give additional information.

Narcise Louise
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 18th day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

AST/STO.

Chief Clerk.

by

Special Commissioner.

Very respectfully,

An early reply will be appreciated.

Respectfully your right to share in this land.

Give any other information appropriate regarding the

Why were you and your parents never enrolled?

You were ever a slave? Were your parents ever slaves?

In favor of the Western Cherokees? Please state whether

in the land arising from the decree of the Court of Claims

filed on behalf of yourself and children for participation

with regard to the obligations which you have

incurred:

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Appln. No. 20366.

March 18, 1908.

Narcis Louise,

East Lake, Tenn.

Madam:

With regard to the applications which you have
filed on behalf of yourself and children for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state whether
you were ever a slave? Were your parents ever slaves?
Why were you and your parents never enrolled?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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No. 20367

Action:

Rejected

Name

Jacob Louis, Jr. and no children.

Residence:

East Lake, Tenn.

Reasons:

Forced Louis, Jr.

Applicant is a brother of 20360

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No. 21367
Name N. A. L. (11106)
With No. 21366

Remarks:

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Narciss Louise
For
her minor child Jacob

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Marcie Louise for her minor*
Indian name: *Child Jacob Louise*
2. Residence: *East Lake*
3. Town and post office: *East Lake*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *July 11th 1857 Marion County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor Child Jacob, through my mother, said Child being under 21 yrs old and in my care and custody*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Jacob F Louise 57 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Jacob F Louise*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Marcie* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Marcie Dagan*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Germany*
Mother: *Marion County Tenn*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *don't know*
Mother: *Marion County Tenn is where my parents lived*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Gatie Louise</i>	<i>27 Sep 1885</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Anna</i>	<i>20 Nov 1890</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Neve</i>	<i>18 Sep 1892</i>	<i>"</i>
✓ (4)	<i>Jacob</i>	<i>26 May 1894</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>David</i>	<i>28 Oct 1898</i>	<i>"</i>
✓ (6)	<i>Philip Louise</i>	<i>26 May 1894</i>	<i>Twin</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Jacob Louise</i>	<i>Frank Dagan</i>
<i>Rebecca</i>	<i>Jane</i>

17. Where were they born? *The Louise's were born in Germany*
Gr father Dagan, in Ireland & Gr mother Dagan born
in Cherokee County Ga
18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr parents on father's*
side were dead. Gr father & Gr mother Dagan lived in
Marion County Tennessee
19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>John Dagan</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Alabama</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Josephine Jones nee Dagan</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Marion County Tenn</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Colucubus Dagan</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Marion County Tenn</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Thomas Dagan</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Marion County Tenn</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Juda Anderson nee Dagan</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Marion Tenn</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Marcie Louise

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Caroline Lane and Clara A. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Marcie Louise, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Caroline Lane

Clara A. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20368.
John W. Robinson for his daughter
Name Agnes V. Robinson and children.
a minor

Action: Reject

Residence: Chattanooga, Tenn.

Reasons:

Grand niece of #2474

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No. 20368

Name J. W. P.

With No. 2474

Remarks:

20368

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Walter Robinson
vs Agnes V "Mino"

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 29, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20368

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name

Indian name

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Not enrolled*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Thomas Robinson	Nathan E. Cooper
Louisa	Nancy E. Cooper

17. Where were they born? *Thomas Robinson in Scotland*
Louisa Robinson in NC Nathan E. Cooper NC Nancy Cooper in Marietta Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Thomas Robinson in Scotland, the others I don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

<i>Father's side</i>	(1) English name: <i>Allen B Robinson</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Ringgold Ga</i>
<i>Mother's side</i>	(2) English name: <i>G M. Cooper</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Ringgold Ga</i>
	(3) English name: <i>John Cooper</i>
	Indian name:
	Residence: <i>Russville Ga</i>
	(4) English name: <i>C E Cooper</i>
	Indian name: <i>Died in 1902</i>
	Residence:
	(5) English name: <i>Amanda Peters</i>
	Indian name: <i>Died in 1889</i>
	Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John H Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octo, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Allen B Robinson* and *Rosalind Robinson* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John H Robinson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 30 years and 7 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of witnesses.

John H Robinson
Rosalind Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octo, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20369.

Action: Reject.

Name George W. Newberry and 3. children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 or 1846.
3. Ancestors passed as white.
4. Show no connection with the Cherokee tribe.

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No. 20369

Name George W. Hurlbary

With No.

Remarks:

Reject

~~Field Tenn.~~

~~Waiting reply to letter.~~

✓ *Supl*

No. *20369*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION
OF

George W. Newberry

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 19, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE.
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAR 30 1907

T. E. JONES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Georg. W. Newberry*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *905 Georgia Ave Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *June 25th 1860 - State of Florida*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father: Enoch Newberry*
8. Are you married? *I am a widower*
9. Name and age of wife or husband:
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Enoch Newberry*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Emeline Newberry*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Emeline Quirk*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Overtown County Ky*
Mother: *Blount " Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Blount County Tenn*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Tnby 1882* Mother: *1863*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <i>William M. Newberry</i>	<i>1858</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2) <i>Henry A. Newberry</i>	<i>1863</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Greuberry Newberry</i>	<i>Thomas Coniet</i>
<i>"</i>	<i>Coniet</i>

17. Where were they born? *Gr father Newberry was born in Ky*
Gr father Coniet, born in N.C. dont know either
18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr father on both sides*
lived in Blount County Tenn. so did my Gr mothers

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: <i>Lemima Newberry</i>
Indian name: <i>"</i>
Residence: <i>died many years ago in State of Ky</i>
(2) English name: <i>Stevon Newberry</i>
Indian name: <i>"</i>
Residence: <i>died in 1888-</i>
(3) English name: <i>Thomas Coniet</i>
Indian name: <i>"</i>
Residence: <i>dont know</i>
(4) English name: <i>Henry C Coniet</i>
Indian name: <i>"</i>
Residence: <i>If living his residence is in Blount Co Tenn</i>
(5) English name: <i>"</i>
Indian name: <i>"</i>
Residence: <i>"</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

G W Newberry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Charles Goodman and D W Bressler, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with G W Newberry, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark:

Signatures of witnesses.

John B Pendleton *Charles Goodman*
John Walter Robinson *D W Bressler*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

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and say that they are well acquainted with George Newberry who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 13 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Rowden
D. W. Brasler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August, 1907.

Estma Stewart

Notary Public.

My commission expires October 9, 1907.

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No. 20369

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

George W. Newberry for
3 millions
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. E. HONTS

att'y.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 26369

1. State your full name: George W. Newberry
2. Residence and post office: 502 East 9th St Chattanooga
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: June 25th 1862 Tallahassee Fla
6. Are you married? Widower
7. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Ana E. Newberry</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>June 6th 1887</u>
(2)	<u>Fred A</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Aug 12th 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Edley</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>May 21 1901</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't think I was

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

George W. Newberry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August 1907.

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

9 Oct 1907

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Rowden and D. W. Bressler who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George H. Newberry who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

7th day of August, 1907.

E. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires

October 9, 1907

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20369

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

George H. Newberry
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

att'y

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Appln. No. 20369.

March 18, 1908.

George W. Newberry,
905 Georgia Ave.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decrees of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents, or your grandparents, were ~~never~~ enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your right to share in this fund.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/SLO.

#50396

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in Plymouth County Tennessee in 1851.
He or possibly his brother Dr. St. Neufort, some
times

Twenty years ago, proved up his Cherokee blood sufficiently to be entitled to the allotment of land allowed Cherokees in the Indian Territory, that of his claimant's grand parents were not entitled, he does not know the reason why, for they were certainly mixed with Cherokee blood.

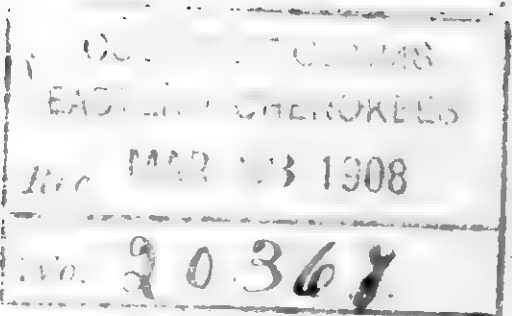
Clavinant states that none of his parents or grand parents were slaves of either white people or Indians.

George W. McMillen

George W. Whiting

Given to and subscribed before me on
 this 20th day of March 1908. and I certify
 that are not interested in this claim
 and that my Commission expires Oct. 9, 1911
 D. J.

Ed Matthews
Notary Public



State of Tennessee 1855.
County of Hamilton, personally appeared
X 20369 before me, a Notary Public
within and for said county and state
affirmed: George W. Newberry, who being duly
sworn by me, makes the following statement
to wit, that he is 47 yrs old, that his P.O. address
#405 - ~~Chattanooga~~ - Chattanooga, Tenn.
that his application for probate of friend
in favor of Eastern Cherokee Indians is
#20369. That, he don't know any reason why
he was not married, except for the reason that
he had no notice of any such circumstance being
made, in the year 1882. That he resided in Hamilton
County, Tenn. at that time. Claimant states that he presumed
that he presumed that his parents ~~resided~~ were
married in 1851. They resided in Belmont County
Tennessee, at that time, and claimant states
that when the Cherokees were being removed from
this country, that his father of the name, that they, the
Cherokees traveled on him, claiming to go further to go
with them to the Territory, but he refused to go. but he
use the time claimed to be, and was known to be of
Cherokee blood and that his mother was also 1/2 Chero-
kee blood, and if it is so, that their names are not
recorded, it must have been because they knew
nothing about the circumstance being made. That
his mother's maiden name was O'Neil, her father's
name was James O'Neil, and resided either in

State of Tennessee } ss.
County of Hamilton } Personally appeared
X 20369 within and for County and State
aforesaid: George W. Newberry, who being duly
sworn by me, makes the following statement
to wit, that he is 47 yrs old, that his P.O. address
#905 ~~Georgia~~ ^{Georgia} Ave., Chattanooga Tenn.
That his application for prata of freed.
in favor of Eastern Cherokee Indians is
#20369. That, he dont know any reason why
he was not enrolled, except, for the reason that
he had no notice of any such enrollment being
made, in the year 1882. That he resided in Hamilton
County, ~~Tenn~~ ^{Tenn} at that time. Claimant states that he presumed
that he presumed that his parents resided ~~in~~ were
enrolled in 1851. They resided in Blount County
Tennessee, at that time, and claimant states
that when the Cherokees were being removed from
this country, that his father often him, that they, the
Cherokees insisted on him, Claimant's father to go
with them to the Territory, but he refused to go. but he,
all the time claimed to be, and was known to be of
Cherokee blood and that his mother was also 1/8 Chero-
kee blood, and if it is so, that their names are not
enrolled, it must have been because they knew
nothing about the enrollment being made. That
his mother's maiden name was Duiet, her father's
name was James Duiet, and resided either in

in Blount County Tennessee in 1851.

^{To or Bradley Co.}
That Claimant's half brother R. H. Newberry, some twenty years ago, proved up his Cherokee blood sufficiently to be entitled to the allotment of land allowed Cherokees in the Indian Territory. That if his, Claimant's grand parents were not enrolled, he does not know the reason why, for they were certainly mixed with Cherokee blood.

Claimant states that none of his parents or grand parents were slaves of either white people or Indians.

George W. Newberry

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 20th day of March 1908. and I certify that am not interested in this claim and that my Commission expires Oct. 9, 1911

C. H. Matthews
Notary Public



Appln. No. 20369.

George W. Newberry, being duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

My name is George W. Newberry. I am 48 years old. I live in Chattanooga. I have lived here over 20 years. I was born in Florida. When six years old father moved to Blunt Co., Tenn. I claim both through my father and mother Indian blood. I was never enrolled. I never heard of it until after I came here. My father's name was Enoch Newberry. My father lived in Blunt Co., Tenn., in 1835-6. In 1851 also my father lived in Tennessee. My father was never enrolled that I know of. My father never received any money from the Government that I know. My father belonged to the Cherokee tribe. I have always been taught so by my father. My father's association with the Indians was very limited. My father claimed his blood through his mother. My mother's maiden name was Quiet. My mother belonged to the Cherokee tribe. My father and uncles on her side so claimed. My mother claimed through her father. His name was Jim Quiet, and he lived in Blunt Co., Tenn. He also belonged to the Cherokees. He was never enrolled. We have been recognized as white people.

C. H. H. Geo. W. Newberry
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn before me, at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 18th day of June, 1908.

C. H. H.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

In re No. 20369.

Charley Goodman, being duly sworn deposes and
says:

My name is Charley Goodman. I am 52 years old.
I live in Hill City, Hamilton Co., Tenn. I know Mr.
Geo. W. Newberry. Ever since we were boys together. Mr.
Newberry is recognized in the community as a man with
Indian blood, of the Cherokee tribe. This blood comes to
him through his father. I never saw his mother. Mr.
Enoch Newberry lived back from the river and railroad.

copy Charley Goodman
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 18th day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Assistant to the Special
Commissioner of the Court of
Claims.

No 20370. *Benjamin* Action: *Admitted*
Name *Benjamin Moon* and children. Residence: *East Chattanooga Tenn.*
Reasons: *(1) ...*
Benjamin N. Moon *Id.*
Grandfather of #6212. ...
... "Chapman" ... mother, not
living in 1900.

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No. 24370-71

Name

With No. 18198,

Remarks:

Wm N. Mott, Ga.
Adm " "

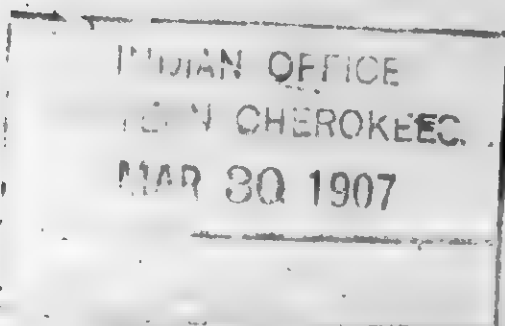
No. 20370

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
William H Moon
His minor child *Benjamin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



20370

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Benjamin Moon minor, through his
Indian name: father William A. Moon
2. Residence: East Chattanooga Tenn
3. Town and post office: "
4. County: Hamilton
5. State: Tennessee
6. Date and place of birth: Dec 12th 1896 James County Tenn
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: He claims through my
his mother and Grandmother
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband:
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: William A. Moon
Indian name:
Mother—English name: Theodosia J. Moon
Indian name:
Maiden name: Theodosia J. Davis
11. Where were they born?
Father: Hamilton County Tennessee
Mother: "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Not living in 1851
Mother: " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Living Mother: Sept 23rd 1903

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know but think his mother was*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Abner Moon	aug 4 1882	Living
(2)	Lillie "	July 6 1884	Oct 1903
(3)	Elizabeth Michaels	Sept 26 1886	Living
(4)	Callie Moon	Jan 11 1891	"
(5)	Harmon "	Aug 27 1893	"
(6)	Thomas "	Feb 27 1888	"
(6)	David "	Feb 27 1896	died in infancy
	Nellie "	Mar 13 1906	Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
Harvey Moon		Thomas Davis	
Eliza "		Eliza "	

17. Where were they born? *Hamilton County Tenn*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Hamilton County Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

(1) English name:	Elizabeth Maddox
Indian name:	Died 15 years ago
Residence:	
(2) English name:	James T. Moon
Indian name:	
Residence:	Meigs County Tenn.
(3) English name:	Martha Pearson
Indian name:	
Residence:	Harrison Tenn
(4) English name:	Nellie Lacey
Indian name:	Died about 22 yrs ago
Residence:	
(5) English name:	Elizabeth Davis
Indian name:	Died 15 years ago
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I think he was enrolled about seven years ago*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

W. N. Moon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *March*, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

C. D. Miller

and

M. Ellis

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *William N. Moon*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *25* years and *20* years,

respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and

that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

C. D. Miller

M. Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *March*, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20371

Action: Admitted

Name Aaron Moon and children. Residence: East Chattanooga Tenn.

Reasons:

(He is a native born citizen of the United States)

By Amos T. Moon, Esq.

Grand-nephew of # 6292. Grand-mother enrolled "Chapman 1616". Mother not living in 1851.

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No. 10000

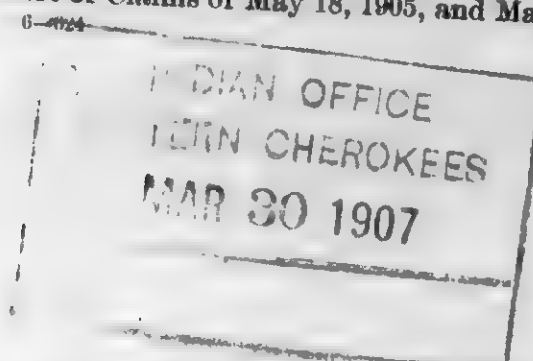
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Aaron Moore

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



T. R. JONES

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Aaron Moon

Indian name:

2. Residence:

East Chattanooga Tenn

3. Town and post office:

"

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

August 27th 1893. James Co Tenn

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: He claims through his Mother and Grandmother on his Mother's side

8. Are you married?

no

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William N Moon

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Ghaddia Moon

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Theadovia Davis

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Hamilton County Tenn

Mother:

"

"

"

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Not known in 1851

Mother:

"

"

"

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Sept 23rd 1903

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know I think his mother was*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <i>Abner Moon</i>	<i>Aug 4 1882</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2) <i>Lillie</i>	<i>July 6 1884</i>	<i>Died 1903</i>
(3) <i>Eliza Michaels</i>	<i>Sept 26 1886</i>	<i>Living</i>
(4) <i>Thomas Moon</i>	<i>Jan 27 1888</i>	<i>Died in infancy</i>
(5) <i>Benjamin</i>	<i>Dec 12 1896</i>	<i>Living</i>
(6) <i>Harriet</i>	<i>Aug 27 1893</i>	<i>"</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Harvey Moon</i>	<i>Thomas Davis</i>
<i>Eliza</i>	<i>Eliza</i>

17. Where were they born? *Hamilton County Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Tennessee Hamilton County*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>Elizabeth Maddux</i>
Indian name:	<i>Died 15 years ago</i>
Residence:	
(2) English name:	<i>James T. Moon</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Meigs County Tennessee</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Martha Pearson</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Harrison Tennessee</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Bella Gady</i>
Indian name:	<i>Died about 22 years ago</i>
Residence:	
(5) English name:	<i>Elizabeth Davis</i>
Indian name:	<i>Died 15 years ago</i>
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I think he was enrolled*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

W. H. Moon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

7 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. Ellis

L. D. Miller

and

William H. Moon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *him*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

L. D. Miller

W. Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

7 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20372

Action: Reject

Name: Clara A. Smith ^{for minor} addis ^{and} X children. Residence: Alabama City, Ala.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Pass as white and applicant looks like a white woman.
4. Ancestors did not live in the Cherokee domain.
5. Shows no connection whatever with the Cherokee tribe.

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~~Field~~
~~Walker Co. Ga.~~
No. 20372.

Name. Clara A. Smith

With No. _____

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 20400, 20487,
20488, 20489, 20495.

Reject

~~Field, Ga. & Co.~~

~~Awaiting reply to letter.~~

20372.

See

20400.

No. 10710

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Clara A. Smith
her minor child Gaddis M.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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CLERK OF THE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

L. E. JONES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Gladdie M. Smith minor. child of*
Indian name: *Her mother Clara A. Smith*
2. Residence: *Assessable*
3. Town and post office: *Walker*
4. County: *Georgia*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 12 1905 Tallahoma Tenn.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately. *She claim through her mother*
8. Are you married? *no*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Frank W. Smith*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Clara A. Smith*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Clara A. Zimmerman*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Sabuda Iowa*
Mother: *Newry County Ill*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *not living in 1851*
Mother: *" " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William B Smith	Apr 18 1892	Living
(2)	Maud E	Dec 13 1893	"
(3)	Hazel A	Aug 20 1895	"
(4)	George A	Oct 18 1897	"
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
William B Smith	Gottlieb Zimmerman
Emily E	Clarrissa

17. Where were they born? *Wm Smith in Canada Emily E Smith New York State Clarrissa New York State*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gottlieb Zimmerman Germany The Smiths in Iowa in Illinois Clarrissa Zimmerman*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

English name:	Indian name:	Residence:
<i>Father's side none</i>		
(1) English name:		
(2) English name:		
(3) English name:		
(4) English name:		
(5) English name:		

Mother's side

(1) English name:	John Peters	
(2) English name:	Jackson Co Wis	
(3) English name:	Charles Zimmerman	
(4) English name:	Aurora Ill	
(5) English name:	Sarah D E Wolf	
(6) English name:	Jackson Co Wis	
(7) English name:	Phillip Zimmerman	
(8) English name:	Jackson Co Wis	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Clara A Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

18th

day of

March

1906

My commission expires

9 Oct

1907

E Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Caroline Lane

and

Narcissa Lewis

, who, being duly sworn on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with

Clara A Smith

, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 4 years,

respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and

that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Caroline Lane

Narcissa Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

18th

day of

March

1906

My commission expires

9 Oct

1907

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Chief Clerk

Special Commissioner

— Very respectfully,

As early reply will be appreciated.

Establish your right to share in this fund.

Give any other information obtainable pertinent to
parents ever alive?

You or your parents were never enrolled? Were you and your
on behalf of yourself and your children? Please state with

Relative to the application which you have filed.

Witness:

Roseville, Ca.

Clara A. Smith.

Appn. No. 20372.

March 18, 1906.

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Appln. No. 20372.

March 18, 1908.

Clara A. Smith,
Rossville, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to the application which you have filed on behalf of yourself and your children, please state why you or your parents were never enrolled? Were you and your parents ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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She also writes there was more Indian
on her mother's side of the family than
the father's. She doesn't know anything
about her great-grandparents but
thinks they all lived in N. Y. as
that is where she lived with her
parents and her father's mother until
she was two (2) years old when they
moved to Ill. That her father
was always of a roving disposition
was never settled until the last
eight yrs of his life.

His will prove
himself to be a man

Very respectfully
Yours A. Smith
La. ama City
Calif.

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F. ST.

Union Miller.

Atlanta City 7/1/98

Sir - As I am in receipt of a letter from my mother, and have written you that I would write you as soon as I heard from her I hasten to do so.

She says, she doesn't know as any of them ever were slaves.

Her father Henry Countryman

was born in Montgomery N. Y.

Aug. 8, 1811 and her mother

Katie Countryman, whose maiden name was Lockatser

was born in Ulster Co. N. Y.

16. 1816.

She doesn't know why they were never enrolled.

She also writes there was more Indian
on her mother's side of the family than
the father's, she doesn't know anything
about her great grandparents but
believes they all lived in N. Y., as
that is where she lived with her
parents and her father's mother until
she was two (2) years old when they
moved to Ill. That her father
was always of a roving disposition
was never settled until the last
eight yrs of his life.

His will proved
satisfactory.

Very respectfully,

Lara A. Smith

La ana city

Calif.

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Alas. City June 27/98
The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington D. C.
Sir: About the middle of March
I received a letter from you
asking several questions which
I answered to the best of my
ability. I have been expecting to
hear from you for some time
in regard to my claims.
I will say that my reason for
not writing you is that the Atty-
Genl. Jones of Chattanooga
made out my papers
for me but I would have
come to his office to

receive the money, and I then
thought perhaps it had been
sent to him and he had called
to notify me. I am
a favor if you will please
to let me know as soon as possible
if you found me entitled to
receive any of the and please
write me at once.

And oblige

Wm. Charles Smith
A. City
Ga.

Her add.

Rossville Ga.

Box No. 20372.

#20495

Miscel.

Clara A. Smith being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 36 years of age and live in Alabama City, Ala. I claim my Indian descent through my mother. My father was a white man, a German. Both of my mother's parents were partly Indian. My mother and her parents were born in Herkimer County, N. Y. and left there when my mother was about two years old. That was about 1842. I don't know anything about my great grandparents. I don't know whether my grandparents lived with any Indians or not. Never heard of it. My mother nor her parents were on any roll. My mother is still living in Jackson Co., Wisc. She made application under the name of Clarissa Zimmerman but she wrote me that she never received any reply to it. Probably filed too late. I am recognized as a white person where I live, and so were my parents. None of them ever lived with any Indian tribe that I know of, although my mother said the Indians used to come to the house sometimes. My husband is a white man.

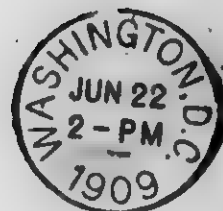
Clara A. Smith
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn. this 18th day of June, 1908.

J. H. [Signature]
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

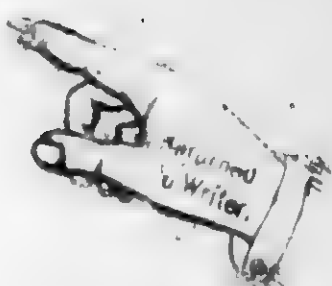
Applicant from all appearances is a white woman, and from evidence given think her claim should be rejected.

not called for in 15 days, return to
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Clara A. Smith, Guardian,

Alabama City, Alabama.

20372.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Clara A. Smith, Jdu.

June 10, 1909.

Alabama City, Ala.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20372, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
801 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20373.

Action: Reject.

Name Silver Brown and X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Applicant was a slave.

Misc. Test. P. 112.

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No. 20373

Name missing

With No. 104

Remarks: 3/3/08

No. 30373

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Silver Crown

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JUN 30 1907

T. B. JONES

20373

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Silver Brown* ^{nee} *Glade*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Churchville*
3. Town and post office: *Highland Park Sta Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *August 6th 1858 Elberton, Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim my indian blood through my mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *George Brown. 63 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Wm Gill Glade*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Flora* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Flora Coleman*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Elberton County Ga*
Mother: *in State of S.C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Lincoln County Ga*
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *living* Mother: *died 25 yrs ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	John Coleman	26	died 13 yrs ago
(2)	Henry	"	Living
(3)	Charles	"	"
(4)	William	"	"
(5)	Benjamin	"	died 10 yrs ago
(6)	James	"	"
(7)	Bessie	"	Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Thomas Wade	Hugh Saxon
Bessie Wade	Silvery Ford

17. Where were they born? *Gr father & Gr mother Wade born in Wilkes County Ga. I don't know where Gr parents on mother's side were born*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr father & Gr mother Wade lived in Wilkes County Ga & Gr father Saxon & Gr mother Ford lived in Lincoln County Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Benjamin Ford*
Indian name: _____

Residence: *died 10 yrs ago in S.C.*

(2) English name: *Albert Ford*
Indian name: _____

Residence: *died 13 yrs ago in S.C.*

(3) English name: *Bessie Stokes nee Ford*
Indian name: _____

Residence: *South Carolina*

(4) English name: _____
Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses

G. G. Brown

(Signature.)

Silver X Brown

Maranda B. Ramsey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

18

day of

March 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr

1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. G. Brown and Maranda Ramsey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Silver Brown who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

G. G. Brown
Maranda Ramsey

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18

day of

March

1907

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1907

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Kiso.

Appl. #18041-20373

Silver Brown, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:--

My name is Silver Brown. I live in Chattanooga, Churchville, Tenn. I am 58 years old. I was born in Elberton, Ga. I claim to be a descendant of Cherokees. I claim through my mother. My mother got her Indian blood through her father. My mother was a slave of white people. I was a slave of white people.

Silver Brown.

Subscribed and sworn to me this 18th day of June, 1908.

C. V. W.
Asst. Special Commissioner,
U. S. Court of Claims.

No. 20374

Name: Callie Moon

Action: Admitted

Reasons:

and children.

Residence: East Chattanooga Tenn.

By Am. N. Moon, Gdn.

Grand nephew of #6292. Grand-mother enrolled "Chapman 1616". Mother not living in 1901.

20374

No. 20374

Name Wm. N. Munn, Jr.

With No. 18198.

Remarks:

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Warrant returned to brother
Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
10678

Treasury Warrant No. _____
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1718
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

Abner L. Montgomery

No. 20374

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

William N. Munn
for
his minor child Callie

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 12, 1905, or 27th Feb. 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907.

REGISTERED IN TENN

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1903, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

She claims through her mother and grandmother on her mother's side

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know. I think his mother was*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <i>Abner Moon</i>	<i>Aug 4 1887</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2) <i>Lillie</i>	<i>July 6 1884</i>	<i>Dead 1903</i>
(3) <i>Eliza Abbeals</i>	<i>Sept 26 1886</i>	<i>Living</i>
(4) <i>Thomas "</i>	<i>" 2 1888</i>	<i>"</i>
(5) <i>David "</i>	<i>Aug 27 1890</i>	<i>"</i>
(6) <i>Benjamin "</i>	<i>Jan 27 1896</i>	<i>died in infancy</i>
(6) <i>Nellie "</i>	<i>Dec 17 1896</i>	<i>Living</i>
	<i>Mar 13 1900</i>	<i>"</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Harvey Moon</i>	<i>Thomas Davis</i>
<i>Eliza "</i>	<i>Eliza "</i>

17. Where were they born? *Hamilton County Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Hamilton County Tennessee*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Elizabeth Maddux*
Indian name: *Died 15 years ago*
Residence:

(2) English name: *James T. Moon*
Indian name:
Residence:

(3) English name: *Meigs C. Temple*
Indian name: *Martha Pearson*
Residence:

(4) English name: *Harrison Temple*
Indian name: *Nellie Abner Lacy*
Residence: *Died about 22 years ago*

(5) English name: *Elizabeth Davis*
Indian name: *Died 15 years ago*
Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I think she was enrolled*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

W. N. Moon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Clinton Miller and

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William N. Moon, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

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Signatures of witnesses.

C. & M. Miller

at Ell.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec APR 27 1907
No.

G.M.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

East . Cher.
App. No. 20374.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON.

April 18, 1907.

L. B. Jones, Attorney,
Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of Eastern Cherokee Application
No. 20374, for Callie Moon, a minor, by her father and natural
guardian, William N. Moon.

We are returning the same herewith for the signature of
your client.

Kindly give this matter prompt attention and return the
application to this Office at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully,

Frank M. Jones
Chief Clerk.

GM/WEA

Enclosure.

20374.

East . Cher.
App. No. 20374.

April 18, 1907.

L. B. Jones, Attorney.
Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of Eastern Cherokee Application
No. 20374, for Callie Moon, a minor, by her father and natural
guardian, William N. Moon.

We are returning the same herewith for the signature of
your client.

Kindly give this matter prompt attention and return the
application to this Office at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

GM/WEA

Enclosure.

No. 20375 Action: Refected
Name Warak Peek and X children. Residence: Chattanooga, Tenn.
Reasons:

Successors were allowed.

No. 1375

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Norah Peek

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES

MAR 20 1907

K. B. JONES

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Norah Peek nee Goldin*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *# 900 Walker St*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *March 8th 1857 Columbus Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim my indian blood through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yrs*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Frank Peek. 56 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Goldin*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Vina* "
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Vina Thornton*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *near Columbus Ga*
Mother: *Burad, near Columbus Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *some where in State of Ga*
Mother: " " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died in 1863* Mother: *died 15 yrs ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Solomon Goldin</i>	<i>don't know</i>	<i>died 13 yrs ago</i>
(2)	<i>Juli</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>" 30 " "</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Shafers Goldin</i>	<i>Joseph Thornton</i>
<i>Quie</i>	<i>Cynthia</i>

17. Where were they born? *All Columbus Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Columbus Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Sucie Redd ne Rose*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *don't know*

(2) English name: *Rachel Rose ne Redd*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Columbus Ga*

(3) English name: *Jake Redd*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Indian nation*

(4) English name: *Chaney*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Columbus Ga*

(5) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
John Hunter
Bertha Langston

(Signature.)

Norah ^{her} Beck ^{mark}

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Hunter and Bertha Langston, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Norah Beck, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John Hunter
Bertha Langston

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20375.

March 18, 1908.

Norah Peek,
900 Walker Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

WTT/HM.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 30 1908
No. 2137

F.S.T.

Chattanooga Tenn.

MRC. 23, 1908.
Special Com. of the Court of Claims
601 Olney Building

Washington D.C.

In reply to your request, relative
to why I, my parents and grand-
parents were not enrolled, I can
say I do not know. The only in-
formation I can give, is that my father died
shortly after the Indians left this
country ^{when} my father died, I was only
5 years old at that time.

My father was not born a slave
but was made a slave afterwards.

My mother was a slave.

My grand parents were never
slaves.

This is in reference to
Applin. no. 20375.

Respt

Norah Beck

500 Walker St.

Chattanooga, Tenn.

No 20376. *Minor* Action: *Admitted*
Name *Ellie Moon* and children. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
Tenn.

Reasons:

*(Quarantined with sister and father
on one side)*

*Grand-nephew of #6292. Grand-
mother enrolled "Chapman 1616".
Mother not living in 1851.*

20376

No. 20 376.

Name Nellie Munn. Jan.

With No. 1819 8.

Remarks:

20376

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 10675-46-47-
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1715-16-17-
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

William Miller

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 10695-46-77-~~78~~

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1715-16-17-~~18~~
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

William M. Moon
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Nellie M. Morn. through
a minor
her father William N. Morn

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES

MAR 30 1907

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name: *Bellie Moon minor through*
Indian name: *her father William B. Moon*

2. Residence:

East. Chawanooga Tenn

3. Town and post office:

" Hamilton "

4. County:

Tenn

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth: *March 13th, 1900 James County Tenn*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *She claims through*
her mother and grandmother

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *William B. Moon*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Theadosia Moon*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Theadosia J Davis*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Hamilton County Tenn*

Mother: *" " "*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Not living in 1851*

Mother: *" " " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Living* Mother: *Sept 23rd, 1900*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know but think her mother was

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Abner Moon	aug 4 1882	Living
(2)	Lillie "	July 6 1884	Oct 1903
(3)	Eliza Michaels	sept 26 1886	Living
(4)	Thomas Moon	apl. 27 1888	"
(5)	Callie "	Jan 11 1891	"
(5)	Agroon "	aug 27 1893	"
(6)	David "	Jan 27 1896	died in infancy
(6)	Benjamin "	Dec 12 1896	Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Harvey Moon	Thomas Davis
Eliza "	Eliza "

17. Where were they born? Hamilton County Tenn.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hamilton County Tennessee

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	Elizabeth Maddux
Indian name:	Died 15 years ago
Residence:	
(2) English name:	James T. Moon
Indian name:	
Residence:	Mingo County Tennessee
(3) English name:	Martha Pearson
Indian name:	
Residence:	Harrison Tennessee
(4) English name:	Elizabeth Davis
Indian name:	Died 15 years ago
Residence:	
(5) English name:	Kellie Lacy
Indian name:	Died about 22 years ago
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I think he was enrolled about seven years ago

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

W J R Moon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E A Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W Ellis

C D Miller

and

William A Moon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *him*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 25 years and 30 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

C D Miller

W Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1907

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9 Oct, 1907

E A Matthews

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Apr no 20 408-18198

JS/

Dear Union Miller
Dear friend I received
your letter 28th 1908
in reference to my
childrens claims.
You asked me if
they were related
to Mayette Davis
he was my wife's mother
her mother's brother
and also William Davis
and John Davis my
uncles.
Aunt Sylvia Davis
Aunt Jane Davis married
William Davis
of my mother's name
ed William Davis
his wife name Nellie read

My Niles she they
name Mrs Elizabeth
she married Thomas
Davis the same name
but has not any and
they only had three
girls no boys the
names of the girls
Nellie Davis ^{dead} got no edu-
cation; she was a Davis
of Cissabell Davis
no brothers
you have the children
names. I hope
was named for Lafayette
and she was Lafayette
she loved him her
name Lafayette
When she was born
her mother was dead
she lived with him &
you can see it

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No. 20377.

Name: John Hunter for Ethelma and X children. Action: Reject.
Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Grand niece of # 17958 and claims through the same source.

20377

No. 20377

Name Jno. Hunter

With No. 17958

Remarks:

No. 30827

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

John Hunter
For
his minor child Echelena

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES

MAR 30 1906

E. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES

MAR 30 1906

E. E. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—
English name: *John Hunter for his minor child*
Indian name: *Ethalewa Hunter*
2. Residence: *Highland Park Sta*
3. Town and post office: *Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 16 1872 Jackson County Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child Ethalewa, who is in my care and custody, under 2 yrs old, claims indian blood through her father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Army Hunter, 29 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Hunter*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Army* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Army Allen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Jackson County Ga*
Mother: *Idaho*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *was not born*
Mother: _____
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Lozon Hunter	Aug 27, 1899	Living
(2)	John A "	March 5, 1906	"
(3)	Mary "	Feb 6, 1896	"
(4)	John A "		"
(5)	Jennie Sue "	Oct 7, 1891	died 1905
(6)	Ethelma "	Aug 30, 1901	Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Hunter	George Allett
Adaline "	Georgia "

17. Where were they born? *All born in State of Ga*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All lived in State of Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: Arthur Hunter	Indian name:	Residence: Georgia
(2)	English name: Margie "	Indian name:	Residence: Georgia
(3)	English name: Ervin "	Indian name:	Residence: Georgia
(4)	English name: Herbert "	Indian name:	Residence: Georgia
(5)	English name: Cinda "	Indian name:	Residence: I dont know

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I dont know*

#6 Albertus Allen Resides in Fla
#7 Eliza " " Atlanta Ga
#8 Eugene " " died 1895~

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Bertha Langston

and

Norah Peek

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with

John Hunter

who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 6 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Jas. P. Davis
Jemil Vail

Bertha Langston
Nora Peek

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20377.

March 19, 1908.

John Hunter,

Highland Park Station, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to the applications which you have filed on behalf of yourself and minor children for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and grandparents were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, state whether they were slaves of Indians or of white people, and give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right, as well as your childrens' right, to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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By

Chief Clerk.

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No. 20378.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *John Hunter for heirs* and *X* children. Residence: *Chatt. Tenn.*

Reasons:

Grand-niece of # 17958 and claims through the same source.

20378

No. 20378

Name Jno Hunter

With No. 20377

Remarks:

No. 31374

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
John Hunter
for
his minor child Maur

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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R. B. JONES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Hunter for his minor child*
Indian name: *Maire Hunter*
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *Highland Park Sta*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 16th 1872. Jackson County Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child Maire, who is in my care and custody, through my father. The child's Grand father, she being under 21 yrs old*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Avery Hunter 29 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Hunter*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Avery* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Avery Allen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Jackson County Ga*
Mother: *Gainesville Hall County Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *was not born*
Mother: _____
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I suppose not*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	John A. Hunter	Feb 8, 1896	Living
(2)	Pennie Sue "	Aug 27, 1897	died 1905
(3)	Lozon "	" 27 1899	Living
(4)	George M. "	" 30 1901	"
(5)	Ethelene "	Mich 5 1906	"
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James I. Hunter	George Allen
Adaline "	Georgia "

17. Where were they born? *All born in State of Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All lived in State of Georgia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Arthur Hunter*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Georgia*

(2) English name: *Margie "*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Georgia*

(3) English name: *Ivini Hunter*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Georgia*

(4) English name: *Herbert Hunter*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Georgia*

(5) English name: *Cinda Hunter*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Georgia*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I dont know*

6 - Albertus Allen Resides in Florida
7 Eliza " " Atlanta Ga
8 Eugenia " deed 1895-

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

W. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Bertha Langston

and

Norah Peek

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with John Hunter

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 6 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Jennie Vail

Bertha Langston

Jennie Parker

Norah Peek

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

W. Matthews

Notary Public.

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7.3.9.

Appln. No. 20378.

March 20, 1908.

Catherine Hanssard,

171 Charles Street,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents, and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Chief Clerk.

WAT/NO.

50228-1

7.3.9.

No. 20379.

Action: Reject

Name Clarissa Smith and X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Duplicate of # 17958.

20379

No. 20379

Name. Clarissa Smith

With No. 17958

Remarks:

No. 11321
Su 17958

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Clarissa Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-024

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAY 30 1906

E. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20379

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Clarissa Smith Re Hunter*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *Chattanooga # Douglass St #915-*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sept 1847 Jackson County Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim my Cherokee blood through my father*
8. Are you married? *Widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *James Forrest Hunter*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Lucy* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Lucy* _____
11. Where were they born?
Father: *State of Va*
Mother: " " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Jackson County Ga*
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 28 yrs ago* Mother: *died 24 yrs ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Mary Jane Hunter	dont know	Living
(2)	Henrietta C	"	"
(3)	Emily C.	"	died 1867
(4)	Stephen B	"	Living
(5)	James Ison	"	died in 1906
(6)	Armedelia	"	"
(7)	William Columbus Hunter	"	died in 1868
(8)	John J. Hunter	"	Living

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Forrest Hunter	dont know
Caroline	"

17. Where were they born? *both Gr father & Gr mother Hunter were born in State of Va. I dont know anything of my Gr parents on my mother's side*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr father and Gr mother Hunter lived Jackson County Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>I dont know anything about my aunts or either side about my uncles</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(2) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(3) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(4) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	
(5) English name:	
Indian name:	
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

John Hunter (Signature.) *Clarissa Smith*
Bertha Langston *mark*
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *March*, 190*7*
My commission expires
9 Oct, 190*7* *W. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Hunter* and
Bertha Langston, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Clarissa Smith*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *18* years,
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John Hunter
Bertha Langston
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7* *W. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

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No. 20380

Name

James McKeel

Action:

Rejected

Reasons:

and X

children.

Residence:

Chatt. Tenn.

1. No ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 or 1846.
3. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.

Field ~~Hamilton Co. Penn.~~ ?
No. 20380
Name James McKel
With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
is no. 20642. 28998

Reject.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20330

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James McNeil

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
JUN 30 1907

H. P. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20330

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *James McKeel*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *#. 8 Walnut St*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Apr 24 1873. James County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my Cherokee blood through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Laura McKeel. 22 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Henry McKeel*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Mariah* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Mariah Gance*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Bradley County Tenn*
Mother: *Hamilton* " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Bradley County* "
Mother: *Hamilton* " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died Dec 28, 1898* Mother: *died Aug 21st 1888*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Tennessee McKel</i>	<i>dont know</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Maggie</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>died in 1892</i>
(3)	<i>Adeline</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>Living</i>
(4)	<i>Ina</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>William</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>John</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>"</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Mark McKel</i>	<i>George Gann</i>
<i>"</i>	<i>Eliza</i>

17. Where were they born? *Gr father & Gr mother Gann were born in Hamilton County Tenn. dont know about Gr father & Gr mother McKel.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr father & Gr mother Gann lived in Hamilton County Tenn, dont know where the McKels lived at that time*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Rever H McKel*

Indian name: *"*

Residence: *dont know*

(2) English name: *Mark McKel*

Indian name: *"*

Residence: *dont know*

(3) English name: *Nannie McKel*

Indian name: *"*

Residence: *dont know*

(4) English name: *"*

Indian name: *"*

Residence: *"*

(5) English name: *"*

Indian name: *"*

Residence: *"*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

James McKel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nute Maples and J. J. Tidwell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James McKel who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 1 years and 8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Nola Chase
Cara Vailes

Signatures of witnesses.

Nute Maples
J. J. Tidwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Specimen

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7.9.9.

Appln. No. 20380.

March 19, 1908.

James McKeel,

8 Walnut Street,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to the application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, state whether they were slaves of Indians or of white people? Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Special Clerk.

WBT/BJO.

#50880

7.9.9.

No. 20381

Action: *Reject*

Name *Bertie Langston* and *X* children.

Residence: *Chatt. Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 17958 and claims through the
same source.*

20381

No. 20381
Name Bertha Langston
With No. 17958
Remarks:

No. 20291

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Bertha Langston

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES

JUN 30 1907

W. B. JONES

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20291

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Bertha Langston nee Smith*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *# 643 Washington St*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *22 Novr 1881. Floyd County Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Cherokee blood through my mother*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Charles Langston 27 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Albert Smith*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Clarissa*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Clarissa Hunter*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cottowah James County Tenn*
Mother: *Jackson County Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Floyd County Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 12 yrs ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Emma Phillips Tripp</i>	<i>1864</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Ella Tripp</i>	<i>1867</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Luther</i>	<i>1869</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>William A.</i>	<i>1870</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Ellie</i>	<i>1872</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>Walter</i>	<i>1874</i>	<i>"</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.
David Pledger

MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Forrest Hunter
Lucy

17. Where were they born? *State of Va is where Gr parents Hunter were born; Don't know where Gr parents on father's side were born*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Jackson County Ga is where Gr father & Gr mother Hunter lived; don't know where Gr parents on father's side lived.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Mary Kennedy Hunter*

Indian name:

Residence: *Indian Territory*

(2) English name: *Arminda Hunter*

Indian name:

Residence: *in State of Ga*

(3) English name: *Harriet Hunter*

Indian name:

Residence: *Franklin County Ga*

(4) English name: *Anderson Hunter*

Indian name:

Residence: *Jackson County Ga*

(5) English name: *James Irvin Hunter*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 1895*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

6 Joseph Hunter dont know where he is,
7 Stephen " R " " " " "

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Bertha Langston*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Actr 9, 190*7*

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Hunter* and *Avery Hunter*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Bertha Langston*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *18* years and *3* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John Hunter

Avery Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Actr, 190*7*

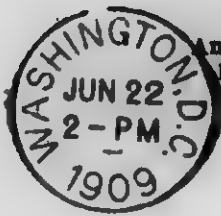
E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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If not called for in 15 days, return to
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Bertha Langston

Chattanooga, Tenn.

#20381.

643 Washington St.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Bertha Langston,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20381, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20382.

Action: Reject.

Name John Hunter for Geo. H. and X children.

Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Grand- nephew of # 12938 and claims through the same
source.

20382

No. 20382
Name J. S. Hunter
With No. 20377
Remarks:

No. 4882

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

John Hunter
OF
For
his minor child Geo. M.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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DEAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAR 30 1907

W. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20382

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Hunter for my minor*
Indian name: *George M Hunter*
2. Residence: *Highland Park Sta*
3. Town and post office: *Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 16, 1872 Jackson County Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child George M Hunter who is in my care and custody and under 21 yrs old. Claiming Indian blood through his father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Avery Hunter 29 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Hunter*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Avery* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Avery Allen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Jackson County Ga*
Mother: *Hall* " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *was not born*
Mother: " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Lason Hunter</i>	<i>Aug 27, 1899</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Ethelena "</i>	<i>" 30 1901</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>John A. "</i>	<i>Nov 5 1906</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Marie "</i>	<i>Feb 6 1896</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Jennie Sue "</i>	<i>Oct 7 1894</i>	<i>died 1905</i>
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>James Hunter</i>	<i>George Allen</i>
<i>Adaline "</i>	<i>Georgia "</i>

17. Where were they born? *All in State of Ga*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All lived in State of Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<i>Arthur Hunter</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Georgia</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Margie Hunter</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Georgia</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Irvin "</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Georgia</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Herbert "</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Georgia</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Cinda "</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>I don't know</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

#6 Alburthus Allen Residence in Fla
#7 Eliza " " " " " " " "
#8 Eugene " " " " " " " " died 1898- Atlanta Ga

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct 1907

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E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Bertha Langston and
Norah Peek, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with John Hunter, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 6 years,
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Jessie Dailed
Lizzie Parker

Signatures of witnesses.

Bertha Langston
Norah Peek

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct 1907

1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20383.

Action: Reject

Name Harriet Miller and X children. Residence: Chatt Tenn.

Reasons:

1. No ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " was party to the treaties of 1835-6 or 1846.
3. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.

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Field ?
Hamilton Co Tenn.

No. 20383

Name Harriet Miller

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 20501, 20641,
20643,

East
Field, Abbott Tenn.

Awaiting reply to letters.

No. 20383

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Harriet Miller

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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CLERK'S OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAY 30 1907

E. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20383

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Harriet Miller ne Ellis*

Indian name: *Mantooth*

2. Residence: *Highland Park*

3. Town and post office: *Highland Park Ste Chattanooga*

4. County: *Hamilton*

5. State: *Tennessee*

6. Date and place of birth: *28 June 1857. Murray County Ga*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim through my mother.*

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Clinton Miller 46 yrs old*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John Ellis*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Elizabeth "*

Indian name: *Mantooth*

Maiden name: *Elizabeth Bush*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Cock County Tenn*

Mother: *" "*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Chattanooga Tenn*

Mother: *" "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Nov 21 1900*

Mother: *Dec 21st 1892*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Lydia Vaughn Ellis</i>	<i>1851</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Tallie Jean Ellis</i>	<i>24 Jan 1853</i>	<i>died 10 yrs ago</i>
(3)	<i>Sarah Jane Duncan Ellis</i>	<i>14 Apr 1854</i>	<i>Living</i>
(4)	<i>Milo Ellis</i>	<i>16 Aug 1856</i>	<i>died long ago</i>
(5)	<i>monroe "</i>	<i>4 Oct 1858</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>Emity "</i>	<i>15 July 1860</i>	<i>30 May 1862</i>
(7)	<i>Ella "</i>	<i>7 Oct 1863</i>	<i>24 May 1864</i>
(8)	<i>Mary Beane Ellis</i>	<i>4 July 1865</i>	<i>died 1887</i>
(9)	<i>Martha Ellis</i>	<i>18 May 1868</i>	<i>Living</i>
(10)	<i>Constance "</i>	<i>23 Aug 1870</i>	<i>"</i>

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents, both father's and mother's side, if possible.

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Moses Ellis</i>	<i>Carlin Bush</i>
<i>Rachel "</i>	<i>Elizabeth "</i>

17. Where were they born? *all born in Cock County Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *all died in 1851 except Rachel Ellis, she lived in Chattanooga Tenn*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Fatherside (1) English name: *none living*
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

motherside (2) English name: *William Bush*
Indian name: *died long ago*
Residence: _____

(3) English name: *George Bush*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *died many yrs ago*

(4) English name: *Austin Bush*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *died long ago*

(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses

W. P. Ellis

(Signature)

Harriet Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. P. Ellis and L. O. Miller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Harriet Miller, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 42 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W. P. Ellis

L. O. Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Octr, 1907

My commission expires

Octr 9, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20383.

March 18, 1908.

Harriett Miller,
Highland Park Station, Chattanooga,
Tennessee.

Madam:

Relative to the application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, state whether they were slaves of white people or of Indians?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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No. 20384

Name John Hunter for Junie ^{Inc} X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn. Action: Rejected.

Reasons:

Grand-niece of #17958 and claims through the same source.

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No. 21384-21385

Name

With No.

20377

Remarks:

Jms Hunter (Chs)
" (bdr)

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

John Hunter
For
his minor child Jennie

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAY 30 1907

J. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20384

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Hunter for my minor child*
Indian name: *Jimmie Sue Hunter*
2. Residence: *Highland Park Sta*
3. Town and post office: *Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 16 1872 Jackson County Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child Jimmie Sue, who is in my care and custody being under 21 yrs old. Claiming Cherokee blood through his father.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Avery Hunter 29 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Hunter*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Avery* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Avery Allen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Jackson County Ga*
Mother: *Hall* " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *was not born*
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lacon Hunter	Aug 27, 1899	Living
(2)	George M "	" 30, 1901	"
(3)	Ethelena "	Mar 5, 1906	"
(4)	John A "	Feb 6, 1896	"
(5)	Marie "	Oct 7, 1894	"
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Hunter	George Allen
Adaline "	Georgia "

17. Where were they born? All born in State of Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All in State of Georgia

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name:	Arthur Hunter
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	Georgia
(2)	English name:	Margie "
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	Georgia "
(3)	English name:	Irin Hunter
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	Georgia
(4)	English name:	Herbert "
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	Georgia
(5)	English name:	Luella "
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	I don't know

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I don't know

#6 Albertus Allen Resides in Fla
#7 Eliza " " Atlanta Ga
#8 Eugenie " died 1898

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Bertha Langston and Nora Peck, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Hunter, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Jessie Vail
Jessie Parker

Bertha Langston
Nora Peck

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20385

Name John Hunter for John G. and X children. Action: Reject.
Reasons: Residence: Albion, Tenn.

Grand-nephew of # 17958 and claims through
the same source.

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No. 20385

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

John Hunter
OF
for
his minor child John A.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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E. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Hunter for his minor*
Indian name: *Child of Albertus John Albertus*
2. Residence: *Highland Park Sta*
3. Town and post office: *Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 16 1872 Jackson County Georgia*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child John A. who is in my care and custody, and claims through his grandfather*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Avery Hunter, 29 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Hunter*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Avery* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Avery Allen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Jackson County Ga*
Mother: *Gainesville Hall County Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *was not born*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I suppose not*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Jamie Belle Hunter	Aug 27, 1897	died 1905
(2)	Lozon	"	"
(3)	George M	" 27, 1899	Living
(4)	Ethelena	" 30, 1901	"
(5)	Marie	"	Mar 5 1906
(6)		"	Oct 7 1894

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James I Hunter	George Allen
Adaline "	Georgia "

17. Where were they born? *All in State of Ga*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All lived in State of Georgia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: Arthur Hunter
	Indian name:
	Residence: Georgia
(2)	English name: Margie Hunter
	Indian name:
	Residence: Georgia
(3)	English name: Irvin Hunter
	Indian name:
	Residence: Georgia
(4)	English name: Herbert Hunter
	Indian name:
	Residence: Georgia
(5)	English name: Cinda Hunter
	Indian name:
	Residence: I don't know

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

6 Albertus Allen Resides in Fla
7 Eliza " " Atlanta Ga
8 Eugenia " died 1898-

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Bertha Langston

and

Norah Peek

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with

John Hunter

, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and 6 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Jessie Davis
Jessie Parker

Bertha Langston
Norah Peek

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of March, 1907

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9 Octr, 1907

C. H. Matthews

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No. 20386.
Elizabeth Wooney for
Name Willie Mary and X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn. Action: Reject
Reasons:

1. No ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 or 1846.
3. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.
4. Ancestors did not live in the Cherokee domain.

~~Field~~
~~Hamilton~~
No. 20386

Name

Elizabeth Hooney

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
is no. 20387.

Awaiting reply to letter.

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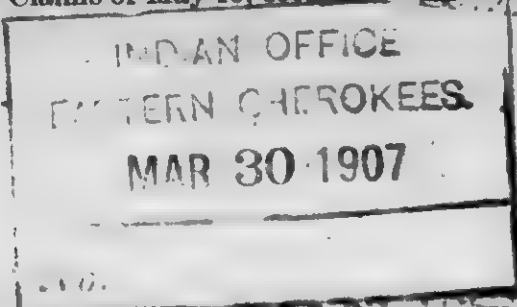
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Elizabeth Mooney
for her minor child *Lillie May*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1903, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20386

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Elizabeth Mooney for her*
Indian name: *minor child Lillie May Mooney*
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *# 110 Charles st*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 22 1862 England*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for minor child Lillie May, who gets her Cherokee blood through her father, and who is in my care and custody under 21 yrs old.*
8. Are you married? *Yes widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Mooney*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Elizabeth Mooney*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Elizabeth Beddow*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Chattanooga Tennessee*
Mother: *England*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Chattanooga*
Mother: *Marion County Tennessee England but was not born*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: _____ Mother: _____

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Lillie Mary Mooney</i>		
(2)	<i>Joseph Richard Mooney</i>	<i>May 1900</i>	<i>Living</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>John Mooney</i>	<i>Richard Beddow</i>
<i>Elaine</i>	<i>Sarah A</i>

17. Where were they born? *The Mooney Gr parents were born in state of Tennessee. Gr parents on mother's side were born in England.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr parents on father's side lived in Chattanooga Tenn. on mother's side in England.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Frank Mooney*

Indian name:

Residence: *don't know*

(2) English name: *James Money*

Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(3) English name: *George Mooney*

Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(4) English name: *Robert Mooney*

Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(5) English name: *Nancy Jones nee Mooney*

Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses *George Brown* (Signature.) *Elizabeth Mooney* her
Jacob Goodrich marshal
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18* day of *March*, 190*7*.

My commission expires
9 Oct, 190*7* *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Alice Wick* and
Rosa Lowe, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Elizabeth Mooney* who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* years and *3* years,
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My commission expires
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Appln. No. 20386.

March 19, 1908.

Elizabeth Mooney,
110 Charles Street,
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Madam:

Relative to the application you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, state whether they were slaves of white people or of Indians?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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Special Commissioner.

By

W. L. Crawford
Chief Clerk.

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Elizabeth Mooney being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 45 years of age and live in Chattanooga. Am claiming for my two children through their father, whose name was John Mooney. They claim through their great grandmother on their father's side who was the mother of John Mooney, Sr. I don't know her name and have no way of finding out. The only information I have is from John Mooney, Sr. having heard him say that he was an Indian and came from Vera Cruz, Mexico. His father was a Spaniard. I don't think any of these children's ancestors were on any rolls. ~~Both John Mooney and Elizabeth Mooney lived in Chattanooga all of their lives.~~ The young John Mooney lived in Chattanooga all his life and the other was born in Mexico and lived the balance of his life in Chattanooga. None of them ever lived with any Indian tribe and all the information I got is what I heard from the old man who told me that his mother was a full blooded Indian. He never said what tribe she belonged to.

Signature of Witness.....

Elizabeth Mooney
Mark C

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn. this 18th day of June, 1908.

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Ass't to Special Commissioner of
the Court of Claims.

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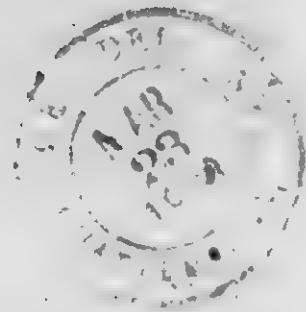
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Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Name Elizabeth Moody for
Joseph R. Moody and X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn.
Reasons:

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Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Elizabeth Mooney
For
her minor child Joseph R

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 10, 1906 and May 28, 1906.

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CHATTANOOGA TENN

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Elizabeth Mooney for her minor*
Indian name: *child Joseph Richard Mooney*
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *#110 Charles St*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec 22nd 1862. England*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim through my minor child's father, who was 1/2 blood Cherokee, said child being in my care and custody, and under 21 yrs old*
8. Are you married? *Widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *John Mooney*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Elizabeth Mooney*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Elizabeth Reddow*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Chattanooga Tenn*
Mother: *England*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Chattanooga Tenn*
Mother: *Marion County & was not born*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 5 yrs ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Lillie May Mooney</i>	<i>Aug 11, 1898</i>	<i>Living</i>
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16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>John Mooney</i>	<i>Richard Reddow</i>
<i>Elaine</i>	<i>Sarah A</i>

17. Where were they born? *Tennessee is where the Mooneys were born. The grandparents on mother's side in England*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Chattanooga Tenn is where the Mooneys lived. The Reddows in England*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Frank Mooney*
Indian name:

Residence: *dont know*

(2) English name: *James Mooney*
Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(3) English name: *George Mooney*
Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(4) English name: *Robert Mooney*
Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(5) English name: *Nancy Jones Mooney*
Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses *George Bro* (Signature) *Elizabeth X Mooney*
Jacob Goodrich. mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octr, 190*7*

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

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No. 20388

Name: *Stacy Lane, by* and no children. Action: *Accepted*
Reasons: *Caroline Lane, Sister* Residence: *East Lake, Tenn.*

Applicant is a 1st cousin once removed of 1821,

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Name

Caroline Land (G.M.)

With No.

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Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Caroline Lane
for
her minor child Nancy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
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Her mother

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

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Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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Mother:

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Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont now know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Mary Bradley</i>	<i>Dec 18 1872</i>	<i>Living</i>
(2)	<i>Martha Raiblings</i>	<i>sep 27 1874</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Lewis Lane</i>	<i>mch 9 1878</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Nora Goforch</i>	<i>sept 5 1879</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Minnie Pegrouh</i>	<i>apr 28 1881</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)	<i>Hannie Lane</i>		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<i>Wilson Lane</i>	<i>Russell Talbert</i>
<i>Martha "</i>	<i>Mary Talbert</i>

17. Where were they born?

Russell Talbert Murrae Co Tenn Mary Talbert in Ia Martha Lane in Washington Co Tenn & Wilson Lane in Mcminn Co Tenn

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

The Lanes in Mcminn Co Tenn Talberts in Murrae Co Tenn

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(1) English name:	<i>Nancy Hays</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Rockford Blount Co Tenn</i>
(2) English name:	<i>Netta Lane</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Rockford Tenn</i>
(3) English name:	<i>Addie Lane</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Rockford Blount Co Tenn</i>
(4) English name:	<i>Martha Spradling</i>
Indian name:	
Residence:	<i>Murrae Co Tenn</i>
(5) English name:	<i>Texas Gray</i>
Indian name:	<i>At</i>
Residence:	<i>Aledo Tex</i>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

Addie Jenkins Blount Co Tennessee
Annie Carey Memorial Co "
Nannie McElroy "
Sallie West Blount "

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Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Clara A. Smith

Narciso Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18^d day of Mch, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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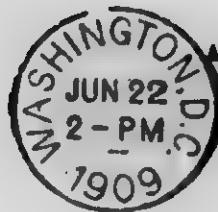
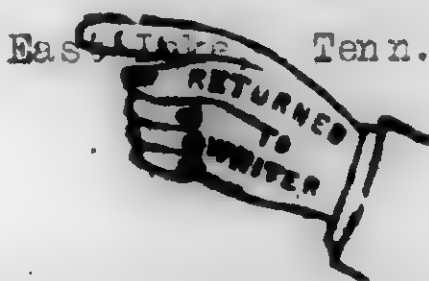
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East Tennessee

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
801 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Caroline Lane, Jdw.,
East Lake, Tenn.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20388, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 70389

Action: Admitted

Name: William H. Hill and children Residence: Wesley, Ga.

Reasons:

William H. Hill - 37 - and Annie Harmon, etc.
same as above.

No. 24389

Name Jm Voiles

With No. 2474

Remarks:

No. 30330

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William Vail

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAR 30 1907

E. P. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *William Vailes*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Calhoun County Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Appsville Ga*
4. County: *Walker*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *June 10th 1853. Cherokee Co. N.C.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Thomas Vailes*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Jane Vailes*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Jane Raper*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Tanner Co. Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Tanner Co. Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Lou Vailes	Feb 18 1873	Dec 16 1890
(2)	Vincent "	Apr 10 1881	Living
(3)	Josie Parker	Nov 24 1876	"
(4)	Bora Vailes	May 2 1885	"
(5)	Jennie "	" 10 th 1887	"
(6)	Birdy "	Feb 14 1891	"
	Jessie "	Dec 19 1895	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Jasper Vailes	Alexander Raper
Annie "	Adeline "

17. Where were they born?

Gannin County Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gannin Co Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

(1) English name: Vincent Vailes
Indian name: Died many years ago
Residence:

(2) English name: Lucy Lambert
Indian name:
Residence: Waynesville Ne

(3) English name: Luck Vailes
Indian name:
Residence: Waynesville Ne

Mother's side

(4) English name: Jackson Raper
Indian name:
Residence: Gassville Ga

(5) English name: Berry Raper
Indian name:
Residence: Oklahoma Ter

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

The Rapers were enrolled

Gyne Pendleton *Res. Chattahoochee*
Dovie Gallins *Died Oct 7 1887*
Nelson Raper *Res. Russell Co*
Died 1899

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *William Vaiken*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *March*, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Nola Chase* and *Gyne Pendleton*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William Vaiken*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Nola Chase
Gyne Pendleton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *March*, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

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JUN 2 1910

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 11786

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 2803

on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

Guion Miller

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from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

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William Miller

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No. 20390

Action: Admitted

Name: *Amalia* and *x* children.

Residence: *Treemill ga*

Reasons:

*Ward No. 3765 and committed to
state prison.*

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No. 20390

Name Clara Voile

With No. 20389

Remarks:

20390

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 11779

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 2796

on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said Court March 15, 1910.

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from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

May

Geo. Vail

No. 20390

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Cora Vailes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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IN CLAIM OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

B. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20390

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Cora Voiles*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Catoosa Co Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Rossville*
4. County: *Walker*
5. State: *Ga*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 2nd 1885 - Murray Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Thomas Voiles*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Jane Voiles*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Jane Raper*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Tanner Co Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Tanner Co Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Lou Vailes	Feb 18. 1873	Dec 16. 1890
(2)	Vincent Vailes	Apr 10 1881	Living
(3)	Josie Parker	Nov 24 1876	"
(4)	William Vailes	June 10 1883	"
(5)	Jennie	May 10 1887	"
(6)	Bridget	Feb 14 1891	"
	Jessie	Dec 19 1895	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Jasper Vailes	Alexander Raper
Annie	Adaline

17. Where were they born? *Fannin Co Ga*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Fannin Co Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

(1) English name:	Vincent Vailes
Indian name:	Died many years ago
Residence:	
(2) English name:	Lucy Lambert
Indian name:	
Residence:	Waynesville NC
(3) English name:	Ruth Vailes
Indian name:	
Residence:	Waynesville NC

Mother's side

(4) English name:	Jackson Raper
Indian name:	
Residence:	Russville Ga
(5) English name:	Myne Newton
Indian name:	Died Oct. 7th 1887
Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *The Rapers have been enrolled*

Benny Raper. Res. Oklahoma. Ter
Dovie Rallins Res. Rasmille Ia
Nelson Raper died 1899

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Cora Vailes*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Mala Chase* and
Glyne Pendleton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Cora Vailes*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *20* years,
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Mala Chase

Glyne Pendleton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20391

Action: Rejected

Name George G. Brown and 6 children. Residence: Chattanooga, Tenn.
#507 Fifth St.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never
enrolled. Applicants parents were slaves.
See letter filed herein marked "Ex. A."

Reject ?
No. 20371.

Name George J. Brown.

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Shuns
See letter

Awaiting reply to letter.

No.

20391

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

George G. Brown

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEE

MAR 30 1907

G. H. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20391

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *George G. Brown*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Churchville Pike St. #507*
3. Town and post office: *Highland Park Sta. Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *7th May 1844. South Carolina*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim my Cherokee blood through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Silver Brown 40 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *George Brown*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Mariah Brown*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Mariah Jabout*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Abbeville County S.C.*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *South Carolina*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 17 yrs ago* Mother: *died 1865*

X

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mashack Brown	dont know	Living
(2)	Benjamin "	" "	" "
(3)	James "	" "	" "
(4)	Abraham "	" "	" "
(5)	Washington "	" "	" "
(6)	Thomas "	" "	died 26 yrs ago

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Benjamin Brown	Harry Duncan
Eunice "	Easter "

17. Where were they born? All born in State of S.C. except Grand father Brown, he was born in Va.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gr father & Gr mother Brown lived in S.C. also did Gr father & Gr mother Duncan

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Bessie Brown

Indian name:

Residence: died 13 yrs ago

(2) English name: Conelia Brown

Indian name:

Residence: dont know

(3) English name: Elsie Brown

Indian name:

Residence: died 15 yrs ago

(4) English name: Mittie Brown

Indian name:

Residence: Augusta Ga

(5) English name: Rebecca Brown

Indian name:

Residence: Little Rock Ark

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I dont know

#6 Washington Brown - don't know whether he is living or not
#7 Mashack " " " " " "
#8

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

George G Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Oct 9, 1907

A H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A J Isbell

and

J B Isbell

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with George G Brown, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and 2 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

A J Isbell

J B Isbell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Oct 9, 1907

A H Matthews

Notary Public.

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on May 28, 1906, John represents himself to be, and that he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in them claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Constance S. Clark
Ben W. J. Black

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of June, 1907.

Robert M. Mathews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907.

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No. 20391

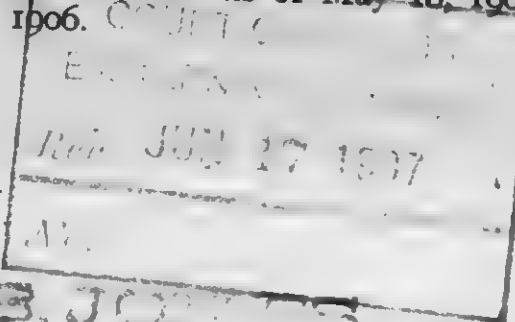
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

George Brown for
his children
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



L. B. JONES

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Conradus Stark
Ben W. J. Black

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of June, 1907.
John H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907

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No. 20391

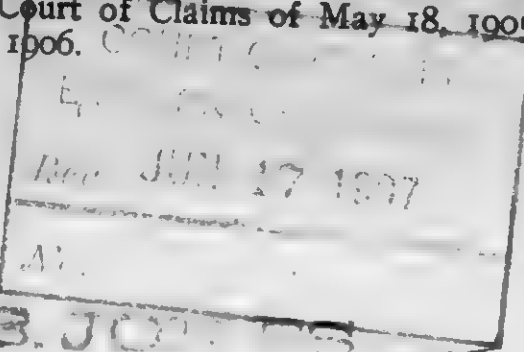
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

George Brown
for
minor children
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



L. B. JONES

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Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20391

1. State your full name: George G Brown
2. Residence and post office: Highland Park Sta
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: May 6th 1844 in South Carolina
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Silver Brown Aged 48 yrs
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Cornelia Brown</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Aug 3rd 1886</u>
(2)	<u>Charles Brown</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Jan 15 1888</u>
(3)	<u>Lucy Brown</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Jan 2 1890</u>
(4)	<u>Lela M. "</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>June 10 1893</u>
(5)	<u>Paul "</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Oct 4 1896</u>
(6)	<u>Carrie Brown</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Dec 5 1898</u>

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) G. G. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June 1907.

My Commission expires

9 Oct

1907

E. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Cornelius Starks and William T. Black who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George S. Brown who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 25 years and 13 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of June, 1907.

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

No. 20391

George S. Brown
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Appln. No. 80391.

March 19, 1908.

George G. Brown,
Highland Park Station,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, state whether they were slaves of white people or of Indians?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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| COUNTY CLERK'S | |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES. | |
| Rec. | MAR 25 1908 |
| No. | 20391 |

Chattanooga, Tenn.
Mar. 22. 1908.

Dear Sir.

I recieved your letter yesterday. I was glad to hear from you. my grand-parents were not enrolled. It was simply because they were hindered by their owners, which were white people. I was in Talico twelve years ago. I had prumition to live there but I decided to wait on the Government.

Respectfully

George Brown
507 Pike St.

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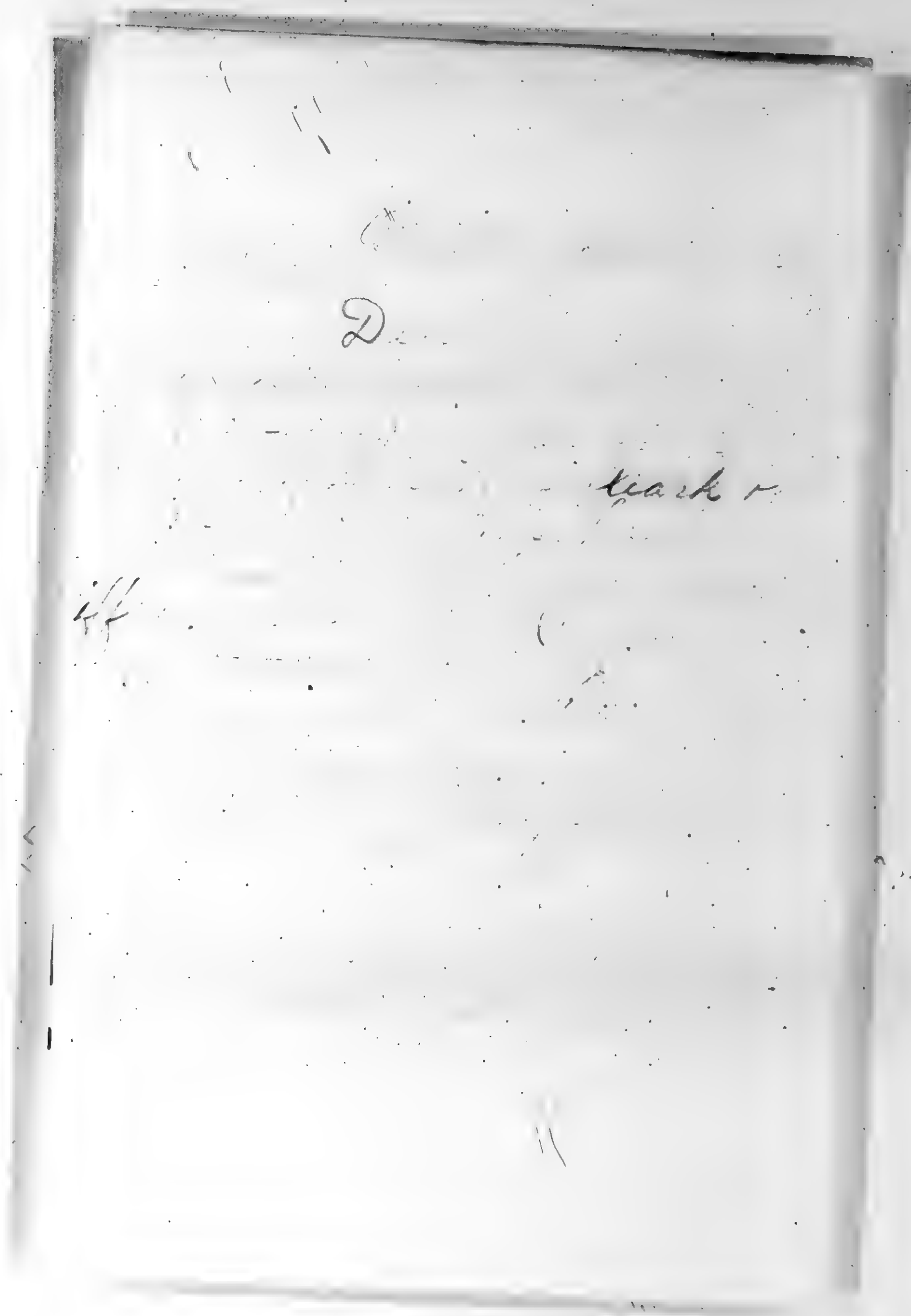
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Mr. Guion Miller.

"Sir, allow
me to address a few lines
to you inquiring to know
when you are going to pay
the Indians. I am going
off on a long trip and I
would like to know
something concerning
it before I go.

I will close
with best wishes to
you. Resp. J. E. Brown
57 Pine St.

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No. 20392

Action: Reject

Name Mary A. McShade and X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn

Reasons:

1. No ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " was party to the treaties of 1835-6 or 1846.
3. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.

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No. 20372

Name

~~Field, Mary~~
~~Hamilton, Mary~~
Rice, Mary C. McLeod

With No.

Remarks:

Grafted herewith
are nos. 20608, 20523,
20530, 20529, 20603.

~~Field, Mary~~
~~Hamilton, Mary~~

~~Answering reply to letter~~

No. 20392

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary A. McDade

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAR 30 1907

No.

H. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Mary A McSade*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *X 500th Market st*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Nov 14th 1846 White P. Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother and my grand mother on mother's side*
8. Are you married? *I am widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Eli Robertson*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Geniperance Robertson*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Geniperance Lewis*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Loudon Tennessee*
Mother: *Blount County Tenn*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Chattanooga Tennessee*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *June 10 1902* Mother: *Aug 7th 1884*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|-----------------|--------------|--------|
| (1) | Lucinda Walker | Sept 11 1850 | Living |
| (2) | Martha Hudgins | Jan 12 1858 | " |
| (3) | James Robertson | Aug 20 1864 | " |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-------------------|------------------------|
| William Robertson | John Lewis |
| Mary Robertson | Temperance " nee Smith |

17. Where were they born? London Co. Tenn for Wm Robertson
the other in Marietta Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wm Robertson
& Temperance Lewis in Cumberland Co. Tenn.
the other two were dead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

| | |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| (1) English name: | Calvin Robertson |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Franklin County Tenn |
| (2) English name: | Henderson Robertson |
| Indian name: | Died 10 years ago |
| Residence: | |
| (3) English name: | Robert Robertson |
| Indian name: | Died 15 years ago |
| Residence: | |
| (4) English name: | Sallie Earle |
| Indian name: | Died 16 years ago |
| Residence: | |
| (5) English name: | Israh Robertson |
| Indian name: | Died 50 years ago |
| Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

Lucy Sororibrough Need 30 years ago
 Hilberk, Lewis " 15 " "
 Warner " " 1903
 Barner " " 8 years ago
 Peyton " " 14 "

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Mary A Dade*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18th* day of *March*, 190*6*.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John L. D. Walker* and
Lucinda Walker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
 say that they are well acquainted with *Mary A. McDade*, who makes the
 foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *28* years and *40* years,
 respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and
 that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
 they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Henry Walker

Clara A. Smith

Signature of witnesses.

John L. D. Walker

Lucinda Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18* day of *March*, 190*6*.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 20392.

March 19, 1908.

Mary A. Dade,
501-1/2 Market Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, state whether they were owned by Indians or white people?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Appln. No. 20392.

March 19, 1908.

Mary A. Dade,
501-1/2 Market Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves? If so, state whether
they were owned by Indians or white people?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller
Special Commissioner.

By

W. H. Crawford
Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

No. 20392.

Mary A. McDade, being duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says;

My name is Mary A. McDade. I am sixty-two years old. I live 502-1/2 Market Street, Chattanooga. I was born in Sparta, White County, Tennessee. I was never enrolled. Never had a chance to enroll. In 1861 I was living here in Chattanooga. I claim my Indian blood through my mother. My mother's name was Temperance Lewis, and she claimed her Indian blood through her mother. My mother lived in Tennessee on Cumberland mountain either in Bledsoe or Cumberland county. I don't know whether my mother was ever enrolled or not. I never heard her say that she was enrolled. My mother was visited by the Cherokee Indians before the war. My mother's name after marriage was Temperance Roberson, and her mother's name was Temperance Smith before marriage, and Temperance Lewis after marriage. I never know of their living with the Indians. My grandmother was born near Marietta, Ga. I know of no other source through which I could claim. My people were recognized as white people. My grandmother was a half-breed. She died about four years before the Civil War. She lived with the white people. I am a sister of Lucinda Walker, No. 20608, and I am the oldest member of the family and have no one else to refer to.

Mary A. McDade
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn., this 18th day of June, 1906.

ASm
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

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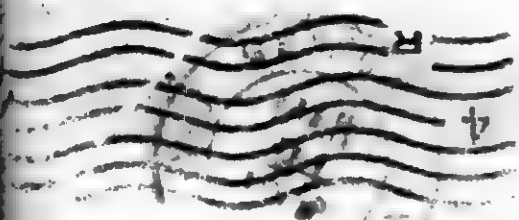
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Street,

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Mary A. McDee,

Rossville, Georgia.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Mary A. McDade,
Rossville, Ga.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20392, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20393

Name Sarah Smith and

Action: Reject

Reasons:

children.

Residence: 214 B St. Chatsworth, Tenn.

Applicant fails to show any genuine connection with Eastern Cherokees. No ancestor ever enrolled. No ancestor 2 forty to the treaties 1835-36-46.

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Field: Hamilton Co. Tenn
No. 20393
Name Sarah Smith

With No.

Remarks: *File*

Field, Chatt.
Tenn.

Failed to appear at
Chattanooga, June 18-08

Awaiting reply to letter.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No.

H. B. JONES

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make this claim for mother, who is of unsound mind & who is in my care and custody, she claiming through her mother Sarah Woodside nee Mitchell

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Her Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I am informed that Gr. mother Mitchell was, but don't know for certain*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <i>Henry Woodside</i> | <i>don't know</i> | <i>don't know</i> |
| (2) | <i>Jefferson</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Polly</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| <i>don't know</i> | <i>Rodgers</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>Polly Rodgers</i> |

17. Where were they born? *in South Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in South Carolina*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| (1) English name: | <i>Don't know any thing of mothers</i> |
| Indian name: | <i>Uncles and Aunts</i> |
| Residence: | |
| (2) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (3) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (4) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (5) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
John H. Robertson
John W. Williams

(Signature.)

her
Sarah Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

mark
E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Selemy Sullivan* and *Jane Benjamin*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Sarah Smith*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *40* years and *35* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

John H. Robertson
John W. Williams

Signatures of witnesses.

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Selemy Sullivan
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Jane Benjamin
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20393.

March 19, 1908.

Sarah Smith,
214 B Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents, never enrolled?
3. Were you and your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

W. H. H.

Chief Clerk.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
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Wm. D. White

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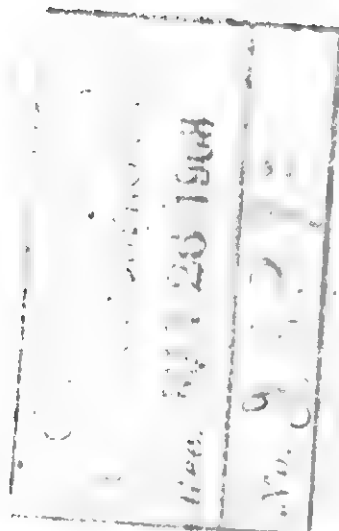
State of Tennessee } On this 24 day of March 1908
County of Hamilton } Personally came Ubr Pope, before me
a Notary Public, for said County
duly commissioned and qualified as such,
and said Pope being duly sworn by me, makes
the following statement, to wit, that he is 34
years old, that he resides at #37 Straight St
Chattanooga, ^{Tenn} that he is a son of Mary Pope, who
filed an application for probate of freed, infant
or of Eastern Cherokees, the number of her claim
is 29510, but the name at head of Commissioner's
letter of inquiry is wrong. But claimant being
confined to her bed by sickness, her said son
proceeds to answer said letter, according to
information given him by his mother. That
if she is not enrolled, she does not know, why,
only to state that she never knew that such
enrollments were being made, never had
any notice of any such proceeding. That if her
mother thru whom, she claims her indian blood
was not enrolled, claimant does not know the
reason why, but presumed she was; Claimant's
mother claimed to be ~~the~~ a descendant of full blood
Cherokee indians, that she herself was a full
blood indian, therefore claimant claims to be
1/2 Cherokee blood, and that her father, who
had no indian blood, was a slave of white
people. Claimant states, that her mother's
name was Amanda Brown, and her grandmother's
name, (on her mother's side) was Gracie Jones.
And now that the questions asked by

the Commissioner ^{are asserted to be} Claimant demands a
thoro. investigation of her case, as she
believes that she is fully entitled, as a descend-
ant of the Eastern Cherokees.

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The foregoing affidavit was sworn to
and subscribed before me, by the subscriber
thereto, according to information and belief,
and I certify that I have no interest in
said claim. That my Commission expires
Oct 9, 1911. This 24 March 1908.

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public



No. 20394

Name John W. Robinson and X children.

Action: Reject

Reasons:

Residence: Chattanooga, Tenn.

Nephew of # 2474

20394

No. 2080-1

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Hatter Robinson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

No.

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20394

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: John Walter Robinson
Indian name:
2. Residence: Chattanooga Tenn
3. Town and post office: 116 Payne St Chattanooga
4. County: Hamilton
5. State: Tennessee
6. Date and place of birth: Feb 18th 1872. Trenton Ga
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately. I claim through my Mother Louisa Robinson and Grand father Noah Raper
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jennette Robinson
Aged 33 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Thomas H Robinson
Indian name:
Mother—English name: Louisa Robinson
Indian name:
Maiden name: Louisa Raper
11. Where were they born?
Father: Prethries Scotland
Mother: Cherokee County NC
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: In Scotland
Mother: Cherokee County NC
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Mch 26th 1900 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Allen B. Robinson</i> | <i>Jan 8 1870</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Thomas Robinson</i> | <i>Coah. Raper</i> |
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Minerva Raper</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Robinson in Scotland*
Rapers in Cherokee County NC

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Robinson in Scotland, Rapers Cherokee County NC*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living, if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Narcissa E. Chase*

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name: *Novie Brown*

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name: *Tyne Penetration*

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: *Rosa Longworth*

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name: *Annie Terrell*

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *No*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Walter Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Allen D. Robinson and Rosalind Robinson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Walter Robinson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Allen D. Robinson
Rosalind Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20395

Name John B. Pendleton

Action: *Refuse*

Reasons:

and

children.

Residence:

Ringold Ga.

Nephew of # 2474 & Claims from same source.

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No. 21395-
Name Mrs B Pendleton
With No. 2474

Remarks:

No. 20395

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John D. Pennington

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
No.

L. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20395

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John B Pendleton*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Catoosa County Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Ringgold*
4. County: *Catoosa County*
5. State: _____
6. Date and place of birth: *6 Jan 1873 Ringgold Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately *I claim my indian blood through my mother*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Nina Pendleton 31 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Simon Pendleton*
Indian name: *Aqua*
Mother—English name: *Margaret Tyne Pendleton*
Indian name: *Aqua*
Maiden name: *Margaret Tyne Raper*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Chero State of Ga*
Mother: *Cherokee Nation N.C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *State of Ga*
Mother: *Cherokee Nation N.C.*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

I understood my Gr father on my mothers side was enrolled

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Elizabeth Pundleton | Oct 11. 1875 | died in infancy |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|------------------|------------------------|
| Elijah Pundleton | Neph Raper |
| Sallina | Margaret Ward M Daniel |

17. Where were they born? Gr father on fathers side born in Penn Gr mother, in S.C. Gr father and Gr mother on mothers side were born in State of S.C.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? dont know where Gr parents or fathers lived. Gr father and Gr mother on mothers side lived in State of N.C.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Alexander Raper

Indian name: Aqua

Residence: died before the Civil war

(2) English name: Jack Raper

Indian name: Aqua

Residence: died in Indian Nation

(3) English name: Charles Raper

Indian name: Aqua

Residence: died in time of Civil war

(4) English name: Polly Raper

Indian name: Aqua

Residence: Indian Nation

(5) English name: Eliza Raper

Indian name: Aqua

Residence: Indian Nation

6 " Nancy Lambert nee Raper. Lives in Cherokee County N.C.

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John B Pendleton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Margaret Pyne Pendleton and J W Robertson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John B. Pendleton who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 34 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses signed.

Signatures of witnesses.

Will D. Jones

Margaret Pyne Pendleton

J W Robertson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

Octr 9, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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JAN 21 1909
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 21 1909
No. 20395

Respectful
DP. [illegible]

Cambridge,

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Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge
your letter of the 11th inst.
in relation to the
children of the
house of the
free school. I have
at this point brought
into a committee
and as I have not
yet received any
information from
the school I am
not able to say
more than that
the children of the
house of the
free school are
being educated
in the
house of the
free school.

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JAN 21 1909
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 21 1909
No. 20395

James B. Pennington
John B. Pennington
410 East Main St.
Chattanooga
Tenn.

2474

No 20396

Action: Rejected.

Name John B Pendleton Son of his
minor child Ruth Pendleton

Residence Ringgold Georgia

Grand niece of #2474 and claims through
same source. Father #20395

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No.

21396

Name

Mr. B. Rudleton

With No.

20395

Remarks:

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No. 20396

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

John D. Pendleton
his minor son *John Child Ruth*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

I. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: John D Pendleton for his minor
Indian name: child Ruth Pendleton
2. Residence: Ringold
3. Town and post office: Ringold
4. County: Catoosa
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: 6 Jan 1873 Ringold Ga
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I make this claim for my now child Ruth who is under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody, who makes her claim her father
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Nina Pendleton 31 yrs old
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: John D Pendleton
Indian name: Agua
Mother—English name: Margaret Pendleton
Indian name: Agua
Maiden name: Margaret Agnes Chapman
11. Where were they born?
Father: Ringold Ga
Mother: Chas. Dalton Ga
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: was not born
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Living Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *don't know, but suppose not*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Mark L. Pendleton</i> | <i>Feb 25 1903</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Adah</i> | <i>Jun 11, 1906</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Simon Pendleton</i> | <i>Noah Raper</i> |
| <i>Margaret Tyne</i> | <i>Mervin</i> |

17. Where were they born? *I don't know, the Gr parents Pendleton were born Gr Parents on father's side were born in S.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *On the father's side don't know. On mother's side Cherokee Nation N.C.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *On my Gr parents side of my father*
Indian name: *there were none*
Residence:

(2) English name: *On (Mother's side) B E Wilson*
Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(3) English name: *Maud H Blankenstaff ne Wilson*
Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Have not*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John B Pennington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Margaret Payne Pennington and

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John B Pennington, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 34 years and 2.5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to ~~make~~.

David W. ...

Signatures of witnesses.

Margaret Payne Pennington
J. W. Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

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No. 20397

Action: *Reject*

Name *Farah Kith* and *X* children. Residence: *Bhatt. Jinn.*

Reasons:

Sister of # 20494 and claims through the same source.

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No. 20397

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Keith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAY 30 1907

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20397

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Sarah Keith*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: ** 16 King St Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Mar 16 1855 Pickens Dist SC*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father and my Grandmother on my father's side*
8. Are you married? *I am a widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William G. Wilson*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Caroline T. Wilson*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Caroline T. Spencer*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Pickens Dist SC*
Mother: *Greenwood " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Pickens Dist SC*
Mother: *" LI "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Oct 11 1856* Mother: *June 10th 1906*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| (1) | Mary E. Nancy | aug 4 th 1841 | 18 years ago |
| (2) | Emily Harp | Nov 1845 | 1872 |
| (3) | Thomas Wilson | 1847 | Living |
| (4) | William H. Wilson | 1849 Nov | 1877 |
| (5) | Caroline Leon | 1851 | 1889 |
| (6) | Julian Nancy | Oct 30 1843 | Living |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Andrew T. Wilson | Abraham Spencer |
| Mary E. " | Sarah " |

17. Where were they born? *All born in Greenville Dist S.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Wilsons were dead. Spencers were living in Greenville Dist S.C.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side:

| | |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|
| English name: | Lucy Wilson |
| Indian name: | Died 27 years ago |
| Residence: | |
| (2) English name: | Benjamin Wilson |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | East Tenn. Don't know the County |
| (3) English name: | Elizabeth Wilson |
| Indian name: | Died many years ago |
| Residence: | |
| (4) English name: | Valentine Wilson |
| Indian name: | Died about 15 years ago |
| Residence: | |
| (5) English name: | Emanuel Wilson |
| Indian name: | Died 22 years ago |
| Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

Juda Wilson Died 20 years ago
Andrew " Living in Hayne Co. Ga.
Gacharne Yancy Died 37 years ago
Joseph Wilson Oct 11th 1878
William "

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835;

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Sarah Keith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Julian Haney

and

Samuel Keith

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Keith

foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 52 years and 20 years,

respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and

that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Julian Haney

Samuel Keith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. APR 30 1908 |
| No. 20392. |

to read and
 before me this day date before
 as then I show no on to set in this
 choice

Applic No 20,397

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State of Tennessee } On this 28. day of April
County of Hamilton } 1908. Personally app-
eared before the undersigned
authority: Sarah Keith of No 16th St
Chattanooga Tennessee. and made the
following statement relative to her
application for participation in the
distribution of Eastern Cherokee fund, to wit
That she doesn't know any reason why
her name does not appear on the rolls of
said Cherokee Indians, and is unable to
assign any reason, only that ^{she} had not
heard any word to such effect
being made, and no notice of such
word being made, consequently, had
no opportunity to enroll her name.
and, if it is a fact, that if she justifies
that her she claims her Indian blood,
she is not a ... I cannot state
any reason for it, unless it is that she
had no notice of such enrollments
and no chance or opportunity to do so.
... with regard to her
grand mother on her father's side, a name
was as in ...
to ... of a ...
... it is ...

her parents, that her father, from
her earliest recollection, told her that
he was $\frac{1}{4}$ Cherokee Indian. That
claimant or any of her parents or
grand parents, were not slaves of
either white people or Indians.
That her present P. O. address is
General delivery M. H.

I am to and subscribed
before me this day late before
me. I have no interest in this
claim.

E. H. H. H.
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| COURT OF CLAIMS |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. APR 30 1908 |
| No. 20397. |

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. June 12, 1908

Application No. 20397.

Sarah Keith,
16 King St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in
the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in
favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that

A. S. Marino

one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Chattanooga, Tenn.

on Thursday, June 18th, 1908, at 10 o'clock
A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have
any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should
also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by
making inquiry at the Clerk, U.S. Court, Post Office Bldg., Chattanooga
Tenn.

Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,
Special Commissioner.

*This is a sister of
my mother's name.
She has no different testimony to give.*

No. 20398.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Rosa Howe*

and *X*

children.

Residence:

Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 20498 and claims through the
same source.*

20398

~~Filed~~
~~Hamilton Co, Tenn.~~

No. 20398.

Name Rosa Howe

With No. 20498

Remarks: Grouped herewith
is No. 20498.

Reject.

~~Waiting reply to letter.~~

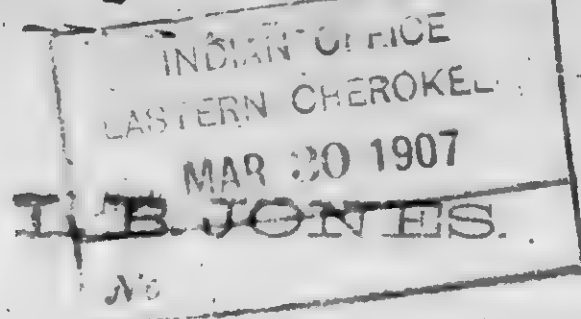
No. 20398

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Lowel
Rosa Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.



CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20398

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Rosa Lowe*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *# 770 West 6th Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *April 4 1878*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim through my mother.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John Lowe*
Aged 28 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Peter Sealp*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Sarah M. Sealp*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Sarah M. Keller*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In S C I think*
Mother: *Pulaski County Va.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Blount Co. Tenn*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *1891* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I think they were*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Oliver Scalf | July 4 th 1880 | 1897 |
| (2) | Elizabeth Rogers | Dec 25 1861 | 1890 |
| (3) | Nancy E. Scalf | " 14 1862 | died in infancy |
| (4) | Samuel Scalf | apl - 1863 | " " " |
| (5) | Amanda Campbell | 1891 | Living |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|---------------|
| Peter Scalf | Samuel Keller |
| Mary " | Katie " |

17. Where were they born? *The Scalfs in Kentucky, The Kellers in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Scalfs in Sevier County Tenn. The Kellers in Blount Co Tenn.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side (1) English name: *Thomas Scalf*

Indian name:

Residence: *Don't know*

(2) English name: *Leroy Scalf*

Indian name:

Residence: *Don't know*

(3) English name: *John Scalf*

Indian name:

Residence: *Don't know*

Mother's side (4) English name: *Elizabeth Moore*

Indian name:

Residence: *Sevier County Tennessee*

(5) English name: *Ellen Biggs*

Indian name:

Residence: *Don't know*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

Polly Keller died in 1860
Henry Keller died 40 years ago
Jacob " " 20 " "
Samuel " " 20 " "
Thompson " m Keller in war time

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses: Jacob Goodrich. (Signature.) Rosa ^{her} Lowe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Alice Vicka and John McKisack, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Rosa Lowe, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark. Jacob Goodrich.

George Browne

Signatures of witnesses. Alice ^{her} Vicka

John McKisack

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

20398.

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Dear Sir,

I am sorry to hear

that you are ill.

I hope you will be recovered.

You are entitled to share in the fund.

I have already got some money for you.

I am sure you will be able to

your friends and your friends.

I have not the money to give you.

I am sure you will be able to

get the money for you.

Yours

W. H. H. H.

and the rest of it.

Yours

W. H. H. H.

W. H. H. H.

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Appln. No. 20398.

March 19, 1908.

Rosa Lowe,

770 West 6th Street,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

WBT/HIO.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Appln. No. 20398.

March 19, 1908.

Rosa Lowe,
770 West 6th Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that
you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller
Special Commissioner,

By

W. L. Crawford
Chief Clerk.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. June 12, 1908.

Application No. 20398.

Rosa Lowo,
770 West 6th., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in
the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in
favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that

A. S. Marine

one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Chattanooga, Tenn.

on Thursday, June 18th, 1908, at 10 o'clock
A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have
any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should
also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by
making inquiry of the Clerk, U.S. Court, Post Office Bldg., Chattanooga
Hotel.

Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

This is a daughter of Sarah Scalf.)
She knows nothing different from)
th testimony given by her mother.)

No. 20399.

Name Jane Benjamin and X children. Action: Reject
Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

Sister of #18215 and claims through the same source.

20399

No. 21399

Name Jane Benjamin

With No. 18215

Remarks:

No. 20390

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

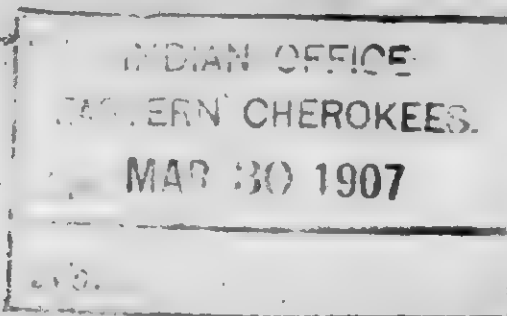
APPLICATION

OF

Jane Benjamin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20390

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Paul Benjamin*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *223 Locust st*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *22 Dec. 1846*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim through my mother, from whom I get my Indian blood*
8. Are you married? *Widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *George Moseley*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Rachel* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Rachel Mitchel*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Lawrence district S.C.*
Mother: _____
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Lawrence district S.C.*
Mother: _____
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died long ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| (1) | <i>Sarah Smith ne Moseley</i> | <i>dont know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Servissa Reed ne Moseley</i> | <i>1846</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>John Moseley</i> | <i>1856</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | <i>Delia "</i> | <i>—</i> | <i>died 1902</i> |
| (5) | <i>Mary Cash ne Moseley</i> | <i>—</i> | <i>" 1889</i> |
| (6) | <i>Selena Sullivan ne Moseley</i> | <i>—</i> | <i>1854</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| <i>James Moseley</i> | <i>Jeff Mitchel</i> |
| <i>Nancy "</i> | <i>Sarah "</i> |

17. Where were they born? *All in State of S C*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All lived in Abbeville district S C*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Polly Woodside*

Indian name:

Residence: *dont know*

(2) English name: *Jeff Woodside*

Indian name:

Residence: *dont know*

(3) English name: *—*

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
J. J. Brewer (Signature.) *her* *Jane Benjamin*
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18* day of *March*, 190*7*
Amadeo Ramey My commission expires *9 Oct*, 190*7* *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Sarah Smith* and *Salina Sullivan*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jane Benjamin*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *40* years and *40* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark. *Signatures of witnesses.*
A. G. Brewer *her* *Sarah Smith*
Amadeo Ramey *her* *Salina Sullivan*
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *18* day of *March*, 190*7*
My commission expires *9 Oct*, 190*7* *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20400

Action: Reject

Name Hazel A. Smith and X children. Residence: Rossville, Ga.

Reasons:

Sister of # 20372 and claims through the same source.

20400

No. 20400
Name Hazel A Smith
With No. 20372
Remarks:

No. 20400

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Hazel A. Smith
Through her Mother Clara A.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

A. G.

L. B. JONES

WATTANOGGA T. L. N.

20400

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Hazel A Smith minor through her mother Clara A Smith
Indian name: Cassville Ga
2. Residence: Cassville Ga
3. Town and post office: " "
4. County: Walker
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: Aug 20th 1895 McHenry Co Ill.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: She claims through her mother
8. Are you married? She is not married -
The Guardian Husband: Frank W. Smith
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Frank W. Smith
Aged 42 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Frank W. Smith
Indian name: Clara A Smith
Mother—English name: Clara A Smith
Indian name: Clara A Zimmerman
Maiden name: Clara A Zimmerman
11. Where were they born?
Father: Sabula Iowa
Mother: Henry Co Ill
12. Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that time?
Father: Not living in 1851
Mother: " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Living Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|--------|
| (1) | William B Smith | Apr 18 1892 | Living |
| (2) | Maud C " | Dec 13 1893 | " |
| (3) | George R " | Oct 18 1897 | " |
| (4) | Gladis M " | " 12 1905 | " |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible.

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|------------------|--------------------|
| William B. Smith | Gottlieb Zimmerman |
| Emily E " | Clarrissa " |

17. Where were they born? William Smith born in Canada
Emily E Smith New York State Clarrissa Zimmerman
New York State Gottlieb Zimmerman Germany
18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Gottlieb Zimmerman in Germany Clarrissa
Zimmerman in Ills

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

On father's side none

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| (1) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| On mother's side | John Peters |
| (2) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Jackson Co Wis |
| (3) English name: | Charles Zimmerman |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Aurora Ill |
| (4) English name: | Sarah De Wolf |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Jackson Co Wis |
| (5) English name: | Philly Zimmerman |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Jackson Co Wis |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Clara A. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Caroline Lane

and

Marcia Louise

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Clara A. Smith, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Caroline Lane

Marcia Louise

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

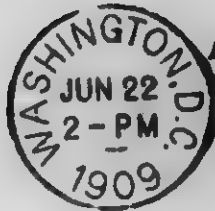
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W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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Hazel A. Smith,

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Hazel A. Smith,
Rossville, Ga.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20400, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20401

Action: *Accepted*

Name: *Nattie Williams* and no children. Residence: *East Chattanooga, Tenn.*

R.F.D. #31

Reasons:

*Applicant or ancestor were never enrolled.
Applicants parents were slaves - see letter
filed herein marked "Ex A."*

20401

No. 20401

Reject ²

Name Hattie Wilkins

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Elmer
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

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30401
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

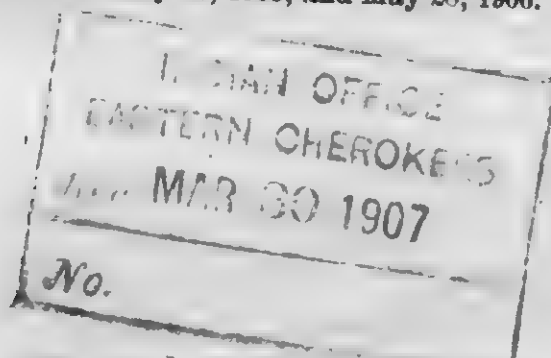
APPLICATION

OF

Hattie McKinis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the terms of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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G. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN

20401

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Hattie Wilkins*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *East Chattanooga R.D. No. 3*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Dec. 3rd 1860*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father Richard Hutchinson*
8. Are you married? *I am widaw*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Richard Hutchinson*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Jane Hutchinson*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Jane Hutchinson*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *South Knaw*
Mother: *Meigs County Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time?
Father: *Meigs County Tennessee*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *South Knaw* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Annie Logan</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |
| <i>" "</i> | <i>Kisiah Coulter</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| (1) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (2) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (3) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (4) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (5) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |

I have no uncles or aunts that I know of

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
Cornelia Tilmann (Signature.) *Hattie ^{her} Wilkins.*
S B Godsey
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Cornelia Tilmann* and
Amelia Young, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Hattie ^{her} Wilkins*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *15* years and *20* years,
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

S B Godsey

Signatures of witnesses.

Cornelia Tilmann
Amelia ^{her} Young

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16th* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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#20401.

Chief Clerk.

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Appln. No. 20401.

March 19, 1908.

Hattie Wilkins,
East Chattanooga,
Tennessee.

Madam:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information requires is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?
4. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Chief Clerk.

WBT/HLO.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 26 1908
No. 20401.

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Appln. no. 20401.
East Chattanooga Tennessee
March 24, 1908

Mr. Givon Miller.

Dear Sir, I received
your notice concerning the
the application of the claim
of the Eastern Cherokee.

I The name of my grand-
mother was Kiccey
Hutcheonson, she was a slave.
my greatgrand mother
was a pure Cherokee
that was on my mother's
side. I don't know my grand-
father on my mother's side,
my father was half Indian.

- 2 My mother lives so
far away and is so old she
has not been ^{able to} go to the office
My father is dead also
my grandparents are dead
- 3 My mother was a slave
also my father was a slave
- 4 Because I have so much
Negro blood in me and on
my mother's father's side
I am a poor accident - I am
a mixed race of blood
I thought as if you was helping
the poor that I needed it
as much as any one that is
the reason that I think
I am entitled to share

in this funds.
Yours very respectfully,
Hattie Wilkins.
East Chattanooga
Tennessee.
R. F. D. # 2 Box, # 81.

Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims,
Eastern Cherokee ~~Remedial~~
ment.

601 Huray Building
Washington,
D. C.

Guion Miller.
Special Commissioner
W. S. Crawford, Chief Clerk,

No. 20402

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Amelia Young* and *X* children. Residence: *East Chattanooga P.F.O. No. 3* *Tenn.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that the applicant or any of her ancestors were ever enrolled for that they went party to the treaty of 1835-6 & 1846. It does not appear that they were ever recognized as members of the Cherokee tribe - It does appear that the applicant's mother was a slave.

Miss. Inst. P. 173 -

20402

Field
No. 20402 Hamilton Co, Penn

Name Emelia Young

With No. _____

Remarks:

Field, East Chart.
Penn.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20402

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

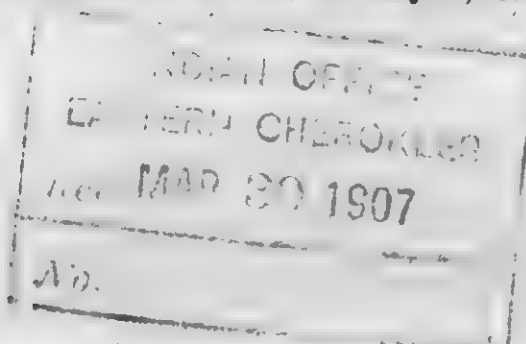
APPLICATION

OF

Emelia Young

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 26, 1906.

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G. B. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20402

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Amelia Young*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *East Chattanooga R.R. No. 3*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *1878. St. Clair County, Ala*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Calvin Young*
Aged 48 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Polk Hendricks*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Lydia Jones*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Lydia Posey*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *St. Clair County, Ala*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *St. Clair County, Ala*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Don't know* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Have no Brothers or sisters</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | | MOTHER'S SIDE. | |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>Belia Posey</i> | <i>"</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | | | |
|----------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | English name: | <i>None on fathers side that</i> | |
| | Indian name: | <i>I know of</i> | |
| | Residence: | | |
| <i>Mother's side</i> | (2) | English name: | <i>Marcha Beavers</i> |
| | | Indian name: | |
| | | Residence: | <i>St Clair County Ala</i> |
| | (3) | English name: | <i>Kealy Drake</i> |
| | | Indian name: | |
| | | Residence: | <i>St. Clair County Ala</i> |
| | (4) | English name: | <i>Amanda Hudson</i> |
| | | Indian name: | |
| | | Residence: | <i>Chattanooga Tenn</i> |
| | (5) | English name: | |
| | | Indian name: | |
| | | Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
Cornelia Gilman (Signature.) Amelia X Yong
J. E. Davis
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907
My commission expires 9 Octr, 1907
O. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

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say that they are well acquainted with Amelia Yong, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 20 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of witnesses.
Cornelia Gilman Cornelia Gilman
J. E. Davis Hattie X McKins
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Appln. No. 20402.

March 19, 1908.

Amelia Young,
East Chattanooga,
Tennessee.

Madam:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can give us additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Chief Clerk.

WET/HLO.

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Appln. No. 20402.

March 19, 1908.

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East Chattanooga,
Tennessee.

Madam:

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2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

WAT/MLC.

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COUNT OF CLARK'S
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 25 1908
No. 20 712.

East Chattanooga Tenn
Jan 18 1908

Gentlemen and answer to your
letter

The reason why my grandparents
hasent enroll hasent atted
conserning my grandparent. I have
sent in my claim
my grand parents. Some one on my
fathers side. Mrs Hendrick.
-Mats. I have got my claim on
my fathers side and I got
my information from my

Mother, my mother was a slave
 but my father was not
 of this fund for the Cherokee
 school. I think I have a good
 write to it as any one else.

To 4046 close

He participated year 2

Andrew Young

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Appln. No. 20402.

Misc.

Amelia Young, being duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

Amelia Young is my name. I think I am about 41 years of age. I live in East Chattanooga. Have lived here since I was seven years old. I was born in St. Clair Co., Alabama. I claim through my father. His name was Polk Henryix. He lived in St. Clair Co., Ala. He belonged to the Cherokee tribe. My mother said he belonged to the Cherokee tribe of Indians. My mother said my father was 1/2 Indian. I never saw my father. I do not know whether my father was ever enrolled. I do not know why he was not enrolled. I never heard my mother say anything about his being enrolled. My mother was a slave. ~~I do not think~~ My father was not a slave, to my knowledge. I never heard my mother say anything about my father being a slave. I am recognized as being colored. My father died in Alabama when I was a child.

copy Amelia Young
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 20th day of June, 1908.

A. S. M.
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

This party appears to have some likeness of an Indian.
She is not as dark as the African and has high cheek bones.

No. 20403.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Ruth C. Johnson* and *X* children. Residence: *Rossville, Ga.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 15936.

20403

No. 20403

Name Ruth C. Johnson

With No. 15-9216

Remarks:

No. 24403

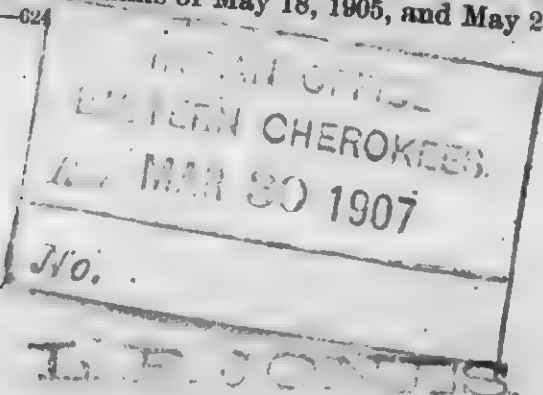
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Ruth C. Johnson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



CHATTANOOGA, TENN

24403

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim through my
Mother and Grandmother & Great Grand
Mother

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| (1) | Ephraim A Jenkins | Oct 11 1867 | Living |
| (2) | Joseph B " | Mar 28 1876 | Sept 13. 1906 |
| (3) | Martina V Tucker | Aug 20 th 1872 | Living |
| (4) | Susan L Jenkins | Jan 22 1878 | " |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Samuel Jenkins | Jackson W. Hargis |
| Ruth Jenkins | Abany J. C. Hargis |

17. Where were they born? *All in North Carolina I think*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Jenkins in Smith County N. C. Hargis in Macon County Tenn*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Macon side

| | | | |
|-----|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: John H Hargis | Indian name: Died. Many years ago | Residence: |
| (2) | English name: Shadrack B Hargis | Indian name: | Residence: Macon County Tennessee |
| (3) | English name: Jackson W. Hargis | Indian name: | Residence: Trousdale County Tenn |
| (4) | English name: Winfield S. Hargis | Indian name: | Residence: North Fork River |
| (5) | English name: Hugh T. Hargis | Indian name: | Residence: Nashville Tenn |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *Don't know*

On Traders Side

George Jenkins Res. Cairo Ill
Galeman " died in 1884
Reuben " Res Hillsdale Penn

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great Grandmother whose name was Jenny Hargis nee Jenny Jacob was a full blooded Cherokee Indian

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Ruth B. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Allan B. Robinson

and

John Walter Robinson

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ruth B. Johnson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Allan B. Robinson

John Walter Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Ruth C. Johnson,
Rossville, Ga.

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20403, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

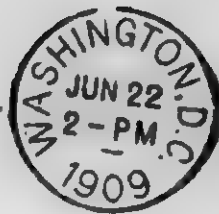
~~It~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



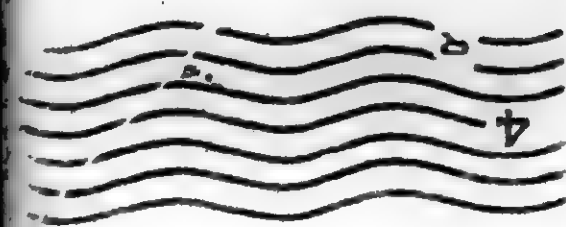
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#20403.

Chattanooga, Georgia.

Bridgedale,
Chattanooga, Tenn.



No. 20404

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Susan Jenkins* and *X* children. Residence: *Rossville, Ga.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 15926.

20404

No. 28404
Name Susan Jenkins
With No. 28403
Remarks:

No. 20464

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Susan Jenkins

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES |
| MAR 30 1907 |

No.

T. H. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20464

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Susan C. Jenkins

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Rossville Ga

3. Town and post office:

Rossville

4. County:

Walker

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

Jan 28 1878 Denton Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim through my Mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William C Jenkins

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Elizabeth H Jenkins

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Elizabeth H Hargis

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Smith County Ga

Mother:

Macon "

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Macon County Ga

Mother:

"

"

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Dec 10 1879

Mother:

Oct 2nd 1905

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

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|-----|--------------------|-------------|--------------|
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|----------------|-------------------|
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| Ruth " | Mary J. " |

17. Where were they born? *All in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Jenkins in Smith County Tenn Hargises Macon Co Tenn*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Mother's side

| | |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| (1) English name: | John H. Hargis |
| Indian name: | Died many years ago |
| Residence: | |
| (2) English name: | Shadrack B. Hargis |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Macon County Tenn |
| (3) English name: | Jackson W. Hargis |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Dreusdale Creek Tenn |
| (4) English name: | Winfred S. Hargis |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Fort Worth Texas |
| (5) English name: | Hugh B. Hargis |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Nashville Tenn |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

Matthews side George Jenkins Res. Cairo Ill
Caledonian " Died in 1884
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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Susan C. Jenkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

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Signatures of witnesses.

John Walter Robinson
John Walter Robinson

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20406. 20613.
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20611.
Action: Admitted.
Name: Arthur Davis,
Lee Davis,
and children. Residence: Ooltawah, Tenn.
Reasons: Mamie Davis,
Mattie Davis,
NELLIES AND NEPHEWS OF NO. 6292.
Nellie Davis,
Clarence Davis,
Willie Davis,

By Sarah Jane Davis, Gdn.

Father enrolled by "Chapman #1620, Wm. Davis."

20405

No. 24405

Name Sarah J. Davis

With No. 62/92

Remarks:

20 405

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 9611 12-13 14-15 - 17

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 669
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

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Michael X House Jones
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20405

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 9611-12-13-14-15-17
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 669
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

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Special Commissioner

Register of 6292

No. 20465

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

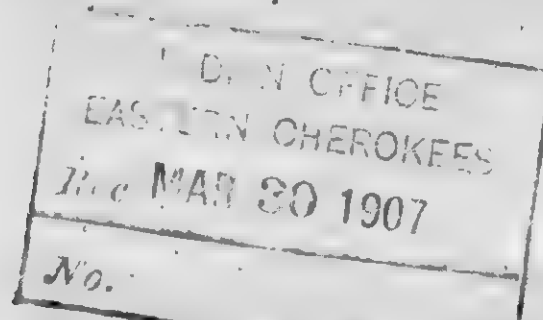
APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Jane Davis for
Arthur Davis Minor*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



L. E. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20465

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Sarah Jane Davis for her minor child*
Indian name: *Arthur Davis*
2. Residence: *Snowhill*
3. Town and post office: *Cottewah R.F.D. #1*
4. County: *James*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *18 Novr 1858 in State of Mo*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child Arthur, who is under 21 yrs old, and is in my care and custody and claims through his father William Davis Sr.*
8. Are you married? *Widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William Davis, father of Lee*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Sarah Jane Davis*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Sarah Jane Burris*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Snowhill Hamilton (now James) County Tenn*
Mother: *born in State of Mo*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *near Snowhill Hamilton (now James) Co Tenn*
Mother: *not born*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 2 May 1906* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *my husband William Davis Jr often told he*
was enrolled and drew money

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Clarence Davis</i> | <i>15 Sep 1889</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>William</i> | <i>15 Aug 1891</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Mattie</i> | <i>5 Sep 1893</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | <i>Nellie</i> | <i>23 May 1897</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (5) | <i>Mamie</i> | <i>6 Aug 1905</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>Lee</i> | <i>10 Dec 1899</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Wesley Davis</i> | <i>Miller Perrie</i> |
| <i>Nellie</i> | <i>Margaret</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Gr. parents on fathers' side born in Hamilton*

County Tenn. on mothers' side, Gr. father in Boone County Tenn

Gr. mother in Hamilton County Tenn

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gr. parents on fathers' side lived in Hamilton County Tenn. on mothers' side in
State of Mo.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-----|---|
| (1) | English name: <i>Lafayette Davis</i> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <i>Harrison Hamilton County Tenn</i> |
| (2) | English name: <i>Cynthia Davis</i> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <i>Cottewah James County Tenn</i> |
| (3) | English name: _____ |
| | Indian name: <i>Eliza Davis</i> |
| | Residence: <i>died 30 yrs ago</i> |
| (4) | English name: <i>Jane Wolfe</i> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <i>died 10 yrs ago</i> |
| (5) | English name: <i>Ellen Davis</i> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <i>died many years ago</i> |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where. *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Sarah Jane Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George A. Davis and J. E. Davis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah Jane Davis, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 23 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

G. A. Davis

J. E. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20406 with 20405

Action: Admitted

Name. Lee Davis minor and children.

Residence: Colliwah Penn.
C. F. D. #.

Reasons:

~~Heir of # 2992.~~

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Application # 20405

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20406

No. 29406 (Lider)
Name Sarah J Davis
With No. 29405
Remarks:

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No. 20406

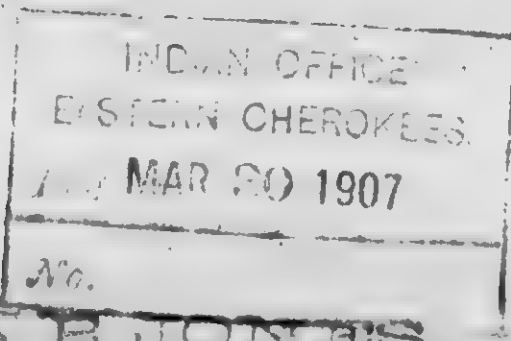
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Sarah Jane Davis for
Lee Davis minor

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



CHATTANOOGA TENN.

90406

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Sarah Jane Davis for her minor child Lee Davis*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Snowhill*
3. Town and post office: *Cottewah R.F.D. #1*
4. County: *James*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *18 Novr 1858 in State of Mo*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Nov. 18, 1858 State of Mo*
I make this claim for my minor child Lee who is under 21 yrs of age, and in my care and custody, and makes this claim through his father William Davis Sr.
8. Are you married? *Widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William Davis father of Lee*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Sarah Jane Davis*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Sarah Jane Burris*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Snowhill Hamilton (now James) County Tenn*
Mother: *Born in State of Mo*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *near Snowhill Hamilton (now James) Co Tenn*
Mother: *not born*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 2 May 1906* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *My husband William Davis often told me that he had been enrolled and drew money*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Clarence Davis</i> | <i>15 Sep 1889</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>William</i> | <i>15 Aug 1891</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Arthur</i> | <i>19 June 1901</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | <i>Marcell</i> | <i>6 Aug 1905</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (5) | <i>Mattie</i> | <i>5 Sep 1893</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>Nellie</i> | <i>23 May 1897</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Westley Davis</i> | <i>Miller Burris</i> |
| <i>Nellie</i> | <i>Margaret</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Gr parents on fathers side, born in Hamilton County Tenn, on mothers side Gr father in Boone County Tenn, Gr mother in Hamilton Co Tenn*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr parents on fathers side lived in Hamilton County Tenn, on mothers side in State of Mo.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Lafayette Davis*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Harrison Hamilton County Tenn*

(2) English name: *Cynthia Davis*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *Cottewah James Co Tenn*

(3) English name: *Elija Davis*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *died 30 yrs ago*

(4) English name: *Jane Wolfe*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *died 10 yrs ago*

(5) English name: *Ellen Davis*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *died many years ago*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Sarah Jane Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

George A Davis

and

J. E. Davis

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Sarah Jane Davis*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 23 years and 20 years,

respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and

that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

G. A. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20407

Name: William J. Smith and children. Residence: Franklin, Pa. Action: X

Reasons: By Parent Peter Edm

Residence: Castroville, Ca.

Included in literature section. 20632

No. 20407
Name Annie M. Toile
With No. 2474
Remarks:

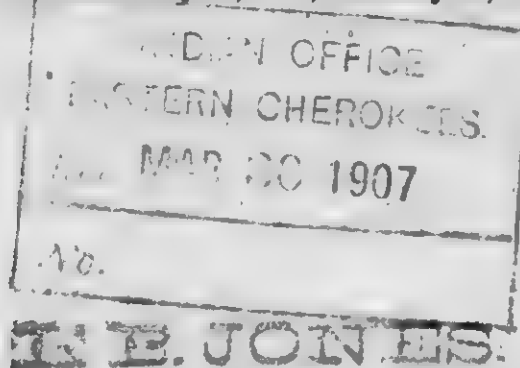
No. 29467

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Annice M Voils
For
her minor child by her
Douglas Vincent Voiles
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20467

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Annie M. Voiles minor through
her father Vincent Voiles

Indian name:

2. Residence: Cataosa County Ga

3. Town and post office: Russell Ga

4. County: Walker

5. State: Georgia

6. Date and place of birth: June 19th 1903 Russell Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: She claims through
her father.

8. Are you married? No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Vincent Voiles

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Rosa Voiles

Indian name:

Maiden name: Rosa Hooten

11. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County North Carolina

Mother: Walker " Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living in 1851

Mother: " " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: Living

Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I think not*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>No Brothers or sisters</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|---------------------|
| <i>Thomas Voiles</i> | <i>Frank Wooten</i> |
| <i>Jane "</i> | <i>Francis "</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Cherokee Co. North Carolina*
Voiles - N. Wooten in Indiana Francis
Wooten in Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Voiles in Cherokee*
Not living in 1851

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Francis wife

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Lou Voiles</i> |
| Indian name: | <i>Died Dec 16 1890</i> |
| Residence: | |
| (2) English name: | <i>Vincent Voiles</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Rossville Ga</i> |
| (3) English name: | <i>Josie Parker</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Chattanooga Tenn</i> |
| (4) English name: | <i>William Voiles</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Rossville Ga</i> |
| (5) English name: | <i>Cora Voiles</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Rossville Ga</i> |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

AFFIDAVIT.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses

Notary Public

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No 20408

Name

Thomas Moon

and

Wigors

children.

Action:

Admitted

Reasons:

Enrolled with sisters and brothers
under one card.

20408

No. 30408,

Name Wm. N. Wm. Gdn

With No. 18198.

Remarks:

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 10674

20408

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary

1719

or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number

on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said Court March 15, 1910.

Thermon Miller

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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 10699
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1719
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

Thomas Moon

No. 20408

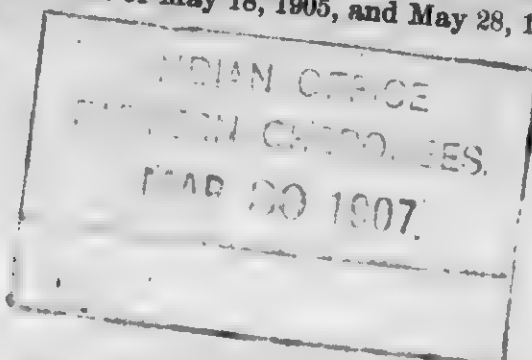
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
William N. Moon
For
his minor child Thomas

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-024



J. B. JONES

W. H. HANCOCK TENN.

20408

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Thomas Moon* minor through his
Indian name: *father William A. Moon*
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *" " "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sept 2nd 1888 James Co Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *He claims through his Mother, and Grandmother.*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *_____*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William A. Moon*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Thodasha J. Moon*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Thodasha J. Davis*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Hamilton now James Co Tenn*
Mother: *" " " " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Not living in 1851*
Mother: *" " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Sept 23rd 1903*

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Thomas Moon, minor, through his father William H. Moon*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *" " "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Sept 2nd 1888 James Co Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *He claims through his Mother, and Grandmother.*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *_____*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William H. Moon*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Thodasha J. Moon*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Thodasha J. Davis*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Hamilton now James Co Tenn*
Mother: *" " " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Not living in 1851*
Mother: *" " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Sept 23rd 1903*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know but think his mother was

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Abner Moon | Aug 4 th 1882 | Living |
| (2) | Lullie " | July 6 1884 | Oct 1903 |
| (3) | Eliza Michaels | Sept 26 1886 | Living |
| (4) | Lallie Moon | Jan 11 1891 | " |
| (5) | Aaron " | Aug 27 1893 | " |
| (6) | David " | Jan 27 1896 | died in infancy |
| | Benjamin " | Oct 15 1890 | Living |
| | Willie " | Nov 15 1900 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|---------------|
| Harney Moon | Thomas Davis |
| Eliza " | Eliza Davis |

17. Where were they born? Hamilton County Tenn

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hamilton County Tennessee

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Traders side
(1) English name: Elizabeth Maddux
Indian name: Died 15 years ago
Residence: _____

(2) English name: James T. Moore
Indian name: _____
Residence: Meigs Co Tenn

(3) English name: Martha Pearson
Indian name: _____
Residence: Harrison Tenn

Mother's side
(4) English name: Kellie Jackson Lacy
Indian name: Died about 22 years ago
Residence: _____

(5) English name: Elizabeth Davis
Indian name: Died 15 years ago
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I think he was enrolled about seven years ago

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

W. S. Moon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Clinton Miller and

W. Ellis

_____ who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William S. Moon, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses

C. S. Miller

W. Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of March, 1906.

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App. No. 20408-18198.

November 28, 1908.

William H. Moon,

East Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to the applications which you have filed on behalf of your minor children, please state clearly the names of the ancestors through whom these children claim. Are they related in any way to Lafayette Davis, and, if so, what is the relationship? Please furnish this office with all the names of your wife's brothers and sisters?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your children's right to share in this fund.

In replying refer to No. 20408-18198.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FEE/HLO.

86181

No. 20469

Action: Rejected

Name: Julia Harland and no children.

Residence: Chattanooga, Tenn
1514 Blackford St.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never
enslaved. Father and mother were slaves.
The letter filed herein marked Ex. A.

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No. 20409. Reject.²
Name Julia Harland
With No. _____

Remarks:

Reject - Slaves.
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 30400

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

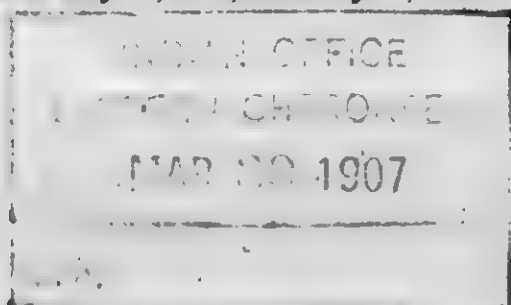
APPLICATION

OF

Julia Harland

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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E. B. JONES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make my claim of Cherokee blood, through my mother Mary Yoe

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Harry Price</i> | <i>dont know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Ann Stoner</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Harriet</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>died 2 yrs ago</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------|---------------------|
| <i>dont know</i> | <i>Charles. yos</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>Charlotte</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Knox County Tenn, is where my Gr father Gr mother on mothers side were born dont any thing of Gr parents on fathers side*

18. Where did they reside in 1861, if living at that time? *Gr and father and Grand mother yos lived in Knox Co. Tenn. dont know any thing about other Gr and parents*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-----|------------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Caroline yos</i> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <i>Knox County Tenn</i> |
| (2) | English name: <i>Wiley Price</i> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <i>Knox County Tenn</i> |
| (3) | English name: _____ |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: _____ |
| (4) | English name: _____ |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: _____ |
| (5) | English name: _____ |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: _____ |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
Loisie Singuay

(Signature.)

her
Julia x Starland
mark

J. E. Dumas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octr, 190*7*

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Starland* and

_____, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Julia Starland*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *9* years and *7* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Loisie Singuay

J. E. Dumas

Signatures of witnesses.

John x Starland
mark

J. E. Dumas
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octr, 190*7*

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 20409.

March 19, 1908.

Julia Harland,
Highland Park Station,
E. Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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Chattanooga Tenn April 9.
Mr. Brian Miller Special
Commissioner, dear sir & received
your letter asking why & thought
that I was entitled to participate
in the Eastern Cherokee land
will say that my mother
mother was half indian and
my mother was one third
indian and they were both
slaves and I saw my
mother after the war he
was a slave and was sold
by the white people before I
was born and I do not know
any thing about her or
people my Grand mother
sister was half indian the

reason why none of them
was enrolled was because
they was Slaves and the
white people did not allow
them to be enrolled my
Grand mother name
was ~~Shote~~ ^{Schoultz} Joe and her
husband name was
Charlie Joe
very respectfully Mrs
Julia Harland
1514 Blackford Street
Chattanooga Tenn

No. 20410.

Name John Harland and X children. Action: Reject.
Reasons: Residence: East Chatt. Tenn.

Affluent and his father were both slaves.

20410

Field ?
Hamilton Co
Gen
No. 20410.
Name John Harland
With No.

Remarks:

Reject.

~~*Awaiting reply to letter*~~

No. 9410

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

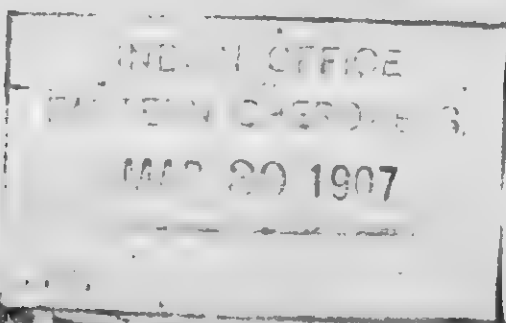
APPLICATION

OF

John Harland

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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E. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Harland*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *Highland Park Sta Chattanooga Tenn*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 8" 1835. Lincoln Co. Ky*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Cherokee blood through my mother whose name Celia Center*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Julia Harland 42 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Buck Craig*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Celia* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Celia Center*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Lincoln Co. Ky*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Lincoln Co Ky*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died long ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I do not know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| (1) | Captoria Harper ^{nee} Center | 1861 | Living |
| (2) | Rebecca Center | After Civil war | 10 yrs ago |
| (3) | George | during the " | Living |
| (4) | Matt | " | died in 1870 |
| (5) | Mary Harland ^{nee} Center | dont know | 30 yrs ago |
| (6) | Newman | " | died before the war |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|------------------------------|
| dont know | Newman Ealy |
| " | Bettie ^{nee} Martin |

17. Where were they born? All in Lincoln Co - Ky

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lincoln Co. Ky
is where they all lived in 1851

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Dode Center

Indian name:

Residence: died before the civil war began

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

witnesses *Losie Singuway* *John X Harland*
S H Covington (Signature.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Julia Harland* and
J L D Walker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *John Harland*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 9 years and 9 years,
respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and
that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Losie Singuway
S H Covington

Signatures of witnesses.

Julia X Harland
J L D X Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20410.

March 19, 1908.

John Harland,
Highland Park Station,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is as follows:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grand-parents, never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

WT/no.

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C. F. H.


Appln. No. 20410.

John Harland, being duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

My name is John Harland. I am 72 years old. I live in Hamilton County, Tenn. I have lived here about 8 years. I was born in Lincoln County, Kentucky. I was never enrolled. I cannot assign any reason for not being enrolled. I claim my Indian blood through my father. My mother said my father was a Cherokee. I was a slave. My owner was Jake Harland. My father was also a slave. My father's name was Kentuck. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ He was owned by Timmon Houcker.


Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.


Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

No. 20411

Action:

Reject

Name Amanda Detheredge and 4 children.

Residence:

Hill City, Tenn

Reasons:

Applicant nor ancestors
were never enrolled.
Ancestors were slaves.
See letter herein marked
"Ex. A."

HCB.

20411

No. 20411 Reject
Name Amanda Dethridge
With No.

Remarks:
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Reject - Plaves.
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20411

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

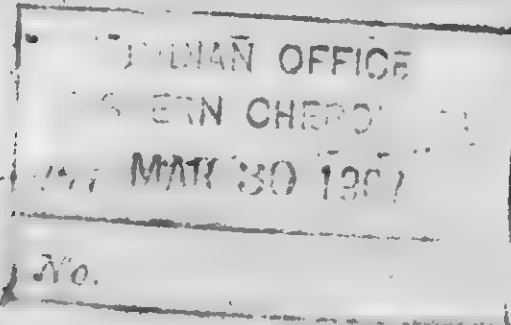
APPLICATION

OF

Amanda Dethen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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20411

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Amanda Lecheridge*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Hill City Tenn.*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *1838 Meigs Co Tenn.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *James Lecheridge
aged 50 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Sampson Steward*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Lucy Steward*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Lucy Need.*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Knoxville, Tennessee*
Mother: *In State of Virginia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Meigs County Tennessee*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 3 years ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Andrew Fine</i> | <i>1860</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Henry</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>Don't know died 1897</i> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Don't know.</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |
| <i>Lydia Tillery</i> | <i>Betty Weed</i> |

17. Where were they born: *Lydia Tillery Knoxville Tenn. Betty Weed in Virginia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All dead in 1851*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

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|-----|---|
| (1) | English name: <i>Ned Steward</i> |
| | Indian name: <i>Died 17 years ago</i> |
| | Residence: |
| (2) | English name: <i>Harriet Steward</i> |
| | Indian name: <i>Died many years ago</i> |
| | Residence: |
| (3) | English name: |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: |
| (4) | English name: |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: |
| (5) | English name: |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
J. F. Covington (Signature) Amanda Lechardge
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of March, 1906

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Adaline Williams and
J. F. Covington, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Amanda Lechardge who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 4 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. F. Covington

Signatures of witnesses.

Adaline Williams

J. F. Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Marie Lavinia Croy
Adeline Williams
Adeline Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June 1907.

J. E. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct 1907

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No. 20,411

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Annanda Pettibridge
Her ^{for} minor children
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Atty. L. B. Jones,
Chattanooga,
Tenn.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20411

1. State your full name: Amanda Decheridge
2. Residence and post office: Kille City
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: Jan 2nd 1858. Meigs County Tenn
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: James Decheridge. Aged 50 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------|----------|---------------------------|
| (1) | Henry Decheridge | 18 years | Aug 20 th 1888 |
| (2) | Liley " | 16 " | Sept 21 1890 |
| (3) | Abby " | 14 " | Feb 8 1893 |
| (4) | James " | 11 " | May 7 1896 |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I dont know but think not

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses to mark by me when
Loisie Decheridge (Signature) Amanda Decheridge
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June 1907.
Est Matthews
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

9 Oct 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Katie Williams and Adaline Williams who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amanda Dechordge who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Marie L. Gray Charlie Williams
O. M. N. [unclear] Adaline Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of June, 1907.

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907

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No. 204711

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

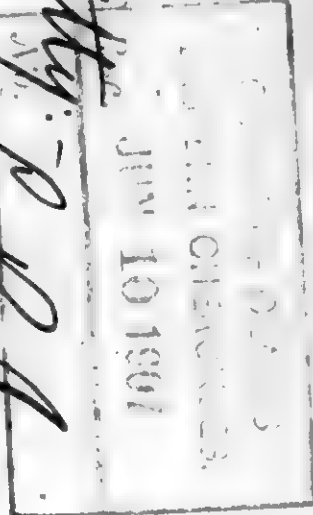
OF

Eucanda Dechordge

for 4 minor children

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



J. B. [unclear]

Chattanooga,

Tenn.

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Appln. No. 20411.

March 19., 1908.

Amanda Detheridge,

Hill City, Tenn.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

7.3.7.

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents, never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Chief Clerk.

PST/EXO.

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App'n of Juan Simon 26, 1908.
Your Honor has called
in regards to the additional
information required of
by the U. S. Court of Claims.

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No. 20412.

Name *William Wofford*, and — children. Action: *Reject*
Residence: *Whorley, Penn.*

Reasons:

*Nephew of #18663, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

20412

No. 204121

Name J. M. Hafford

With No. 18643

Remarks:

No. 1112

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

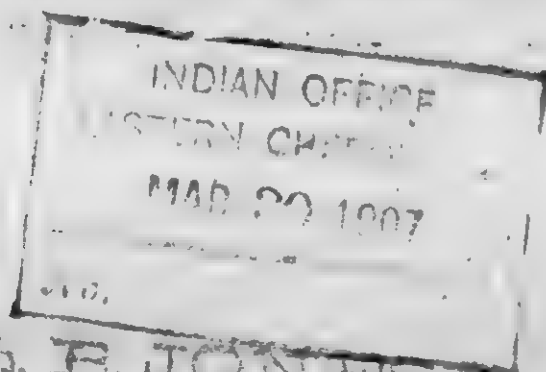
APPLICATION

OF

William Wafford

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



L. E. JONES

CHATTANOOGA

20412

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *William Wofford*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Chicamunga, Tennessee*
3. Town and post office: *Whorley*
4. County: *Hauflton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 11th, 1852 Lumpkin Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother.*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mattie Wofford*
Aged 28 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Nathaniel Wilkey*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Eliza Wilkey*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Eliza Hutchison*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Lumpkin Co Ga*
Mother: *Abbeville Sc*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Lumpkin Co Ga*
Mother: *Lumpkin Co Ga*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Don't know* Mother: *Died sept 1905*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Mumrae Wofford</i> | <i>1854</i> | <i>Died 20 years ago</i> |
| (2) | <i>Arthur</i> | <i>1870</i> | <i>1870</i> |
| (3) | <i>James Wofford</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>10 " "</i> |
| (4) | <i>Mary Hallaway</i> | <i>" "</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |
| (5) | <i>Lou Preston</i> | <i>" "</i> | <i>1904</i> |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |
| <i>" "</i> | <i>Bilpha Quillan</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Bilpha Quillan born in N.C. Don't know as to the rest.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Bilpha Quillan lived at Dalton Ga. Don't know as to the rest.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Mother's side

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Adaline Holmer</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Chattanooga Tenn</i> |
| (2) English name: | <i>Harriet Tillman</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Arkansas</i> |
| (3) English name: | <i>Caroline Lynch</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Chattanooga Tenn</i> |
| (4) English name: | <i>Marshall Quillan</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Cincinnati Ohio</i> |
| (5) English name: | <i>Joseph Quillan</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Ch Dalton Ga</i> |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. J. Starnell (Signature.) *William Wofford*
S. F. Covington
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23rd* day of *March*, 1906.
My commission expires *9 Oct*, 1907 *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Adaline Holmes* and
Mackenzie Ramie, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *William Wofford*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *30* years and *20* years,
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of witnesses.
J. J. Starnell *Adaline Holmes*
S. F. Covington *Mackenzie Ramie*
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23rd* day of *March*, 1906.
My commission expires *9 Oct*, 1907 *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 10 1909
No. 20412

notice
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Shepherd J.

June 5 - 09

Commissioner of Indian Affairs
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

I hear your office
will begin paying the Cherokee
Indian Claims soon. if not too
much to ask will you please
tell me how soon and
whether I am intitled as

not
change my address.

Shepherd J.

Respt. yours

Wm. H. H. H.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 23 1910
No. 10412

circ. let

Shepherd, Tenn.

Feb. 21, 1886

Mr. Guion Miller.

Dear Sir:

Will you please let me know
was my application No.
20512 accepted by the Court
of Claims. As I have not
heard, would like to know.

Yours Truly

Will Hafford.

Shepherd

Tenn.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 2 1910
No. 20412

circ. let

Shepherd. Tenn.

Feb. 28. 1910

Special Commissioner

Dear Sir:- I have
employed an attorney to
appear for me And have written
him five letters and he will
not answer any of my letters.
And if there is any money
for me. Please dont pay it to
William H. Robeson. Because
he act like he want to keep it

Yours Truly.

William H. Wofford. No 20412

Shepherd. Tenn.

No. 20413.

Action:

Reject

Name

Bill Covington

and

5

children.

Residence:

Dodge, La.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #20334.

20413

No. 20413

Name Bell Covington

With No. 20334

Remarks:

No. 30413

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

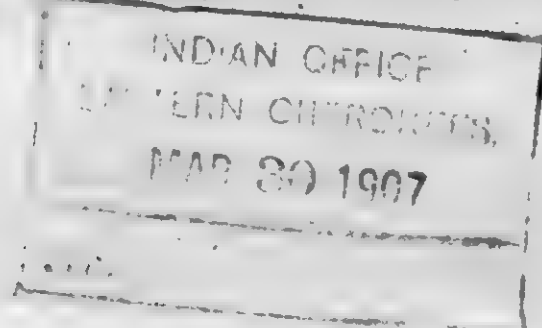
APPLICATION

OF

Bell Covington

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J. B. JOHNSON

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20413

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Belle Covington

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Catoosa County Ga

3. Town and post office:

Dodge

4. County:

Walker

5. State:

Georgia

6. Date and place of birth:

March 19th 1861 Summerville Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim through
My mother

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Scott Covington
Aged 49 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

David McFarland

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Adeline Williams

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Adeline Jones

11. Where were they born?

Father:

St Clair Co. Ala

Mother:

Cass Co. Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

St Clair Co. Ala

Mother:

Chattooga Co. Ga

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1867

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME | BORN | DIED |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) <i>Forest Williams</i> | <i>met 19th 1866</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) <i>Willie A</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>Died 17 years ago</i> |
| (3) <i>Oscar</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>" about 10 "</i> |
| (4) <i>Katie</i> | <i>" aged 30</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (5) <i>Levyde</i> | <i>" 17 -</i> | <i>died 17 years ago</i> |
| (6) <i>Levyde</i> | <i>" 33 -</i> | <i>" mch. 1907</i> |
| (7) <i>Joseph</i> | <i>" 27</i> | <i>Living</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <i>Dont know</i> | <i>Green Henry</i> |
| <i>Carrie McFarland</i> | <i>Malissa</i> |
| | <i>Indian name Kate Hemphill</i> |

17. Where were they born? *McFarlands in St Clair Co Ala*
The Henrys in Bartow Co Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *McFarlands in St Clair Co Ala*
Henrys in Bartow Co Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living; give dates of deaths:

Fathers side (1) English name: *Dont know anything of my*
Indian name: *uncles and aunts in fathers*
Residence: *sid*

Mothers side (2) English name: *Jefferson Jones*
Indian name: *"*

Residence: *Bartow Co Ga*

(3) English name: *William Jones*
Indian name: *"*

Residence: *Rising Dawn Ga*

(4) English name: *Charles Jones*
Indian name: *"*

Residence: *Dartmouth*

(5) English name: *Eliza William*
Indian name: *"*

Residence: *Cynthia Jones Died 30 years ago*
Died in 1865

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Bell Loving Rod*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23rd* day of *March*, 190*6*

My commission expires *9 Oct*, 190*7* *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *S. H. Covington* and *Adaline Williams*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Belle Covington*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *34* years and *46* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

S. H. Covington
Adaline x Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *23* day of *March*, 190*6*

My commission expires *9 Oct*, 190*7* *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

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No. 20414

Action: *Reject*

Name *D. Forest Covington* and *X* children. Residence: *Dodge, La.*

Reasons:

See mother's application # 20413.

20414

No.

20414

Name

Belle Covington

With No.

20334

Remarks:

No. 20114

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Belle Covington
For
her minor child D. Forrest

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| MAR 30 1907 |

J. H. JONES.

THE INDIAN BUREAU

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

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1. State full name—
English name: *D. Forrest Covington, by his*
Indian name: *mother Belle Covington*
2. Residence: *Catoosa Co - Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Dodge*
4. County: *Walker*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Mich, 17, 1861 Summerville Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child, D. Forrest, who is under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody, claiming Cherokee blood through its mother, Belle Covington*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *S F Covington 49 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Scott F Covington*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Belle*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Belle Williams*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cherokee County Ala*
Mother: *Mattoga County Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *was not born*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|--------------|--------|
| (1) | James Covington | Apr 27, 1887 | Living |
| (2) | Dewitt " | May 5, 1891 | " |
| (3) | Effie " | Dec 24, 1898 | " |
| (4) | Antice " | Jan 16, 1900 | " |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| Frank Covington | David McGarland |
| Mariah " | Adaline " Maiden name Jones |
| | Indian name Kate Hemphill |

17. Where were they born? *Gr parents on father's side born in N.C. Gr parents on mother's side born in Lebanon Ala*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr mother in Bartow County Ga Gr and parents on father's side Chattooga County Ga. Gr parents on mother's side in St Clair County Ala*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Forrest Williams*

Indian name:

Residence: *Hill City Tenn*

(2) English name: *Willie Ann Williams*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 17 yrs ago*

(3) English name: *Askar Williams*

Indian name: *died 10 yrs ago*

Residence: *Katie Williams*

(4) English name: *Katie Williams*

Indian name:

Residence: *Hill City Tenn*

(5) English name: *Glyde Williams*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 17 yrs ago*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Belle Covington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. F. Covington and Angeline Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Belle Covington, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and 46 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

S. F. Covington
Angeline Williams

Signatures of witnesses.

S. F. Covington
Angeline Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

C. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20415

Name

Benjamin Holmes, and — children.

Action

Repect.

Reasons:

Residence:

852 - 12th Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Son of #18663, and claims through the
same ancestors.

20415

No. 20415

Name Benjamin Holmes

With No. 18663

Remarks:

No. 20415

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

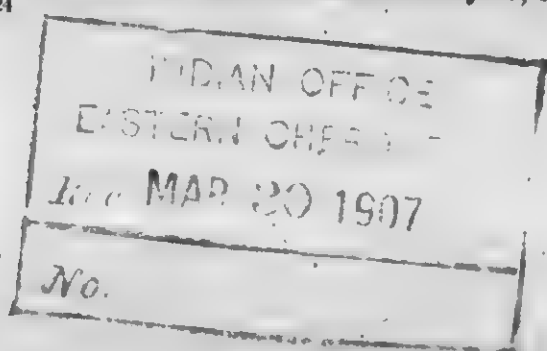
APPLICATION

OF

Benjamin Holmes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



L. B. JONES

WANTAWOGA, TENN.

20415

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name *Benjamin Holmes*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *#852-12 st*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *July 11, 1878. Murray Co. Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of indian blood, through my mother Adaline Holmes*
8. Are you married? *no*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name *Henry Holmes*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Adaline*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Adaline Quillen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *in state of Va*
Mother: *in " " S.C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *in state of Ga*
Mother: *Whitfield Co Ga*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 28 apr 1906* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>John Holmes</i> | <i>July 9, 1863</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Carrie Hale Holmes</i> | <i>Aug 25 1875</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Gussie Maphie</i> | <i>" 1877</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | <i>Gertie Wheeler</i> | <i>" 1899</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (5) | <i>Emma Brown</i> | <i>" 1883</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>Achie Gillespie</i> | <i>" 1885</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (7) | <i>Rosa Holmes</i> | <i>" 1887</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents, both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----|--------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>I dont know</i> | <i>Henry Chipsey</i> |
| (2) | <i>Lucy Cox</i> | <i>Leah</i> |

17. Where were they born? *I dont know where the Coxes were born The Chipseys were born in S.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All of them lived in State of Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Caroline Lynette Duillen*

Indian name:

Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*

(2) English name: *Harriet Sullivan Duillen*

Indian name:

Residence: *Arkansas*

(3) English name: *Joseph Duillen*

Indian name:

Residence: *State of Ga*

(4) English name: *Marshall Duillen*

Indian name:

Residence: *Cincinnati Ohio*

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the Full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835; _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Benjamin Holmes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Caroline Lynch

and

Sam Lynch

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Benjamin Holmes*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 28 years and 16 years,

respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and

that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Richard Dunn

Caroline Lynch

Signatures of witnesses.

Ellie Hawks

Sam Lynch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20416.

Name Elba for Ruth Ewin and X children. Action: Reject

Reasons: Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Daughter of #18230 and claims through the same source.

20416

No. 20416
Name Ella E. Ewing
With No. 18027
Remarks:

No. 2046

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Sella Erwin
for
her minor child Ruth

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAR 30 1907

J. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN

2046

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Ella Erwin for her minor child*
Indian name: *Ruth Erwin*
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: "*"*
4. County: *Hamilton County*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *June 14th 1854 Madison N.C.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child Ruth who is under 21 yrs of age, and in my care and custody, and makes its claim of Indian blood through her mother Ella Erwin, a daughter of Eliza Whiteice*
8. Are you married? *Widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Andrew J. Erwin*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Ella Erwin*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Ella Whiteice*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Rhea County Tenn*
Mother: *Madison N.C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Rhea County Tenn*
Mother: *Madison was not born*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died Apr 7, 1903* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) | Walter Erwin | Sep 10, 1880 | Living |
| (2) | Ananda Martin | July 21, 1886 | " |
| (3) | Mollie Erwin | Feb 28, 1889 | " |
| (4) | Ruth | Aug 16, 1894 | " |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|----------------|------------------|
| Benjamin Erwin | William A. White |
| Dicy | Olivia |

17. Where were they born? *Benjamin Erwin Jackson Co Tenn. Dicy Erwin in N.C. William A. White & Ella White in Stokes Co N.C.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Erwins in Jackson County Tenn. The Whites in Rockingham Co N.C.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Harvey Erwin, died May 2, 1900*

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name: *Thomas Erwin*

Indian name:

Residence: *Rockwood Tenn*

(3) English name: *Rosa Frank*

Indian name:

Residence: *Crawford Tenn*

(4) English name: *Ananda Erwin, died May 7, 1895*

Indian name:

Residence: *L*

(5) English name: *Leroy Harris, died 1891*

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

I call attention to the fact that same times, the name Whiteice, is called Whitehurst which is in correct

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Ella Erwin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *Mich*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octr, 190*7*

CH Mathews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Alice Dover* and *Mary J Dover*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ella Erwin*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *25* years and *5* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Alice Dover

Mary J Dover

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25* day of *Mich*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octr, 190*7*

CH Mathews

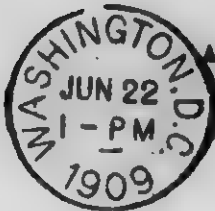
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OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

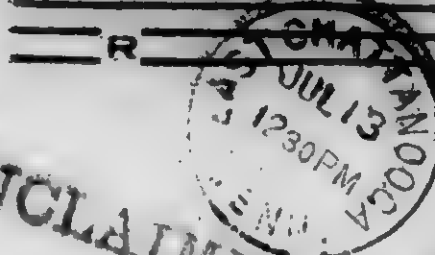
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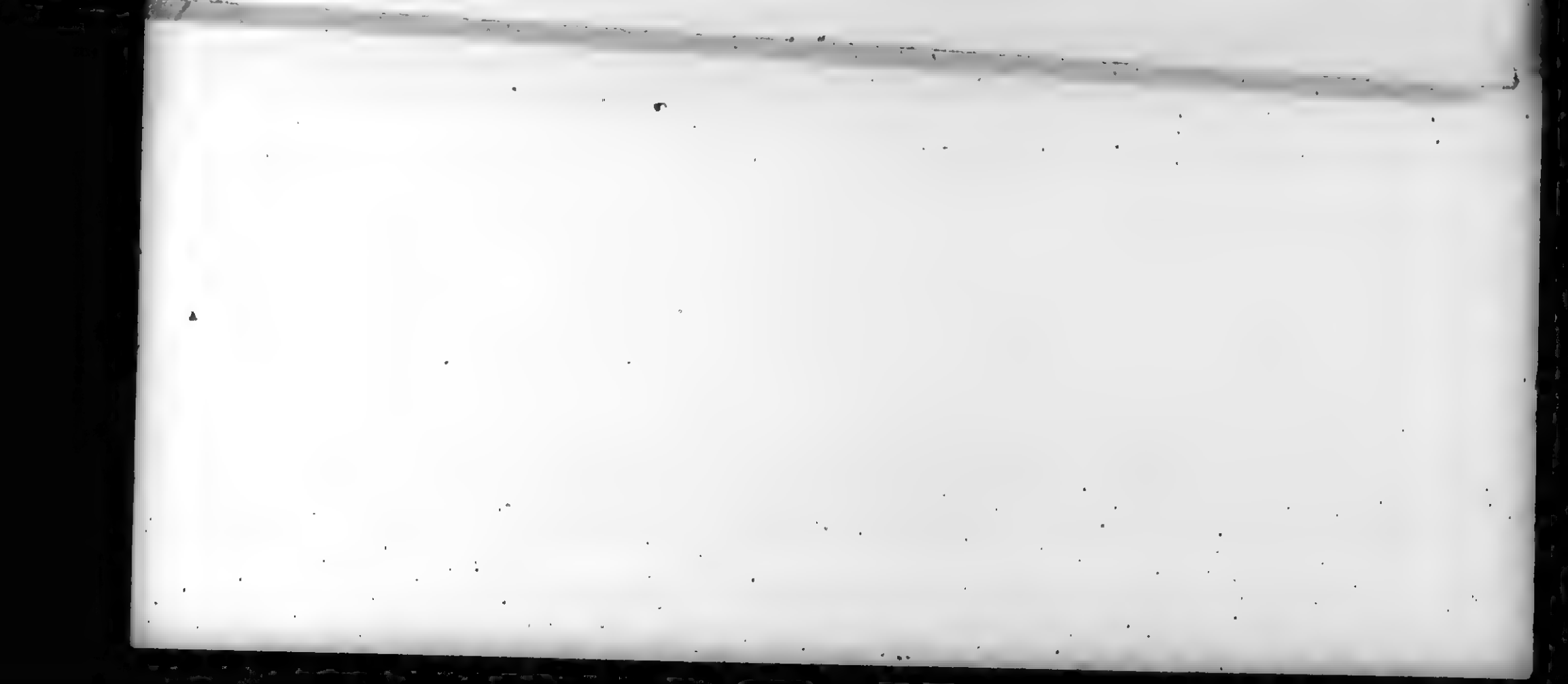


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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Ella Erwin, Jdu.

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20416, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20417

Action: Reject

Name Jane Green and X children. Residence: Chatt. Tenn.

Reasons:

1. No ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " was party to the treaties of 1835-6 or 1846.
3. Ancestors passed as white people.
4. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.

Misc Test: See

20417

Field: ~~Hamilton Co, Penn.~~ ^R
No. 20417.
Name. ~~Jane~~ Green
With No. _____
Remarks: Reject
~~Field Leath~~
~~Penn.~~

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20417

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

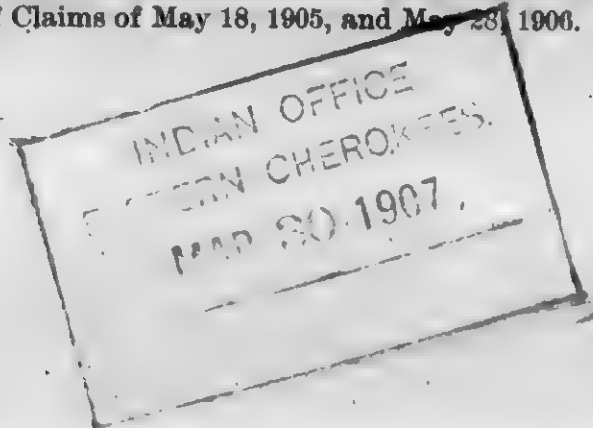
APPLICATION

OF

Jane
~~Jesse~~ Green

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. B. JONES

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Jane Green

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Chattanooga, Tenn

3. Town and post office:

1016 Whitford St Chattanooga

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

May 7th 1858 Jackson Co Ala

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I claim through my father

8. Are you married?

I am a widow

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Willis Prescott

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Ellen Prescott

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Ellen Haney

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Indian Station (Cherokee)

Mother:

Jackson Co Ala

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Jackson Co Ala

Mother:

" " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Died in Civil war

Mother:

died 20 years ago

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------|------------|---------------------|
| (1) | Rachel Lingo | Don't know | Living |
| (2) | William J Prescott | " | Dead many years ago |
| (3) | Louise | " | " |
| (4) | Lucinda | " | " |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|---------------|
| Don't know | Jackson Haney |
| " | Rachel |

17. Where were they born? *Prescotts in the Indian Nation as understood - Haney's in Jackson Co also*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| FATHER'S SIDE | English name | Indian name | Residence |
|---------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| (1) | George Prescott | | Indian Territory |
| (2) | Margaret Prescott | | Indian Territory |
| (3) | Jasper Prescott | | Indian Territory |
| (4) | Allen Haney | | Dead 20 years ago |
| (5) | Mary Haney | | Dead many years ago |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

Malinda a - Haney Res. died many years ago
Elizabeth Jackson " " " " " "
Lillian Reynolds " " " " " "
Matter McLean " " " " " "
Minnerva Deuel " " " " " " died 1906

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
Rebecca Visage (Signature.) Jane X Green
Mrs M P Boyle
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1907

My commission expires
9 Oct, 1907
E H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Rebecca Visage and
M P Boyle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Jane Green, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 12 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Rebecca Visage
Mrs M P Boyle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of March, 1907

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#20412

Director General

Mr. [Name] [Address]

Dear Sir:

I am writing to you regarding

the matter of [Subject]

which you have referred to me.

I have reviewed the information

provided and am sorry to hear

of the difficulties you are

experiencing.

I am sure that you will find

the following suggestions helpful.

First, you should consider

the possibility of [Suggestion]

Second, you might want to

consult with [Suggestion]

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

[Title]

[Address]

[City]

[State]

[Zip]

[Phone]

[Fax]

[E-mail]

[Web]

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Appln. No. 20417.

March 20, 1908.

Jesse Green,
1016 Whiteside Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered.

The additional information is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents, never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 28, 1908

No. 20417.

No 1016 Whiteside at Chattanooga, Tenn. Mch 26/08
Hon. Guion Miller
Spl Commr &c

Dear Sir:

The inclosed letter, is not for me, as it appears to be, for Jesse Green: whose P O office address, is, Cowan Tenn. and as a matter of fact this letter doesn't apply to me. You seem to have Jesse Green and myself mixed up. Now I have never received, a card, to show that my claim was filed, said Jesse Green got my card and his card is now, in Mr. Matthews office 116 1/2 Chattanooga Tenn. and his no. is ~~20,417~~ 20,417 Now, what is ~~Jesse~~ Green's no? - whose P O address is no 1016 Whiteside at Chattanooga Tennessee. Said Jesse Green, has certainly got my card. I will be prompt, to answer when properly called on, for information relative to my claim.

Yours Very Truly
Jesse Green
Pr M

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With our Father.

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donations.

Quote: "Nothing is as good as for a girl to be a student."

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Appl. #20417

March 28, 1908.

Jane Green,
1016 Whiteside Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Your favor of the 26th instant received, and
in reply to which I beg to say that your application
is filed in this office, and that your number is
20417. The party whom I filed your application wrote
Jesse instead of Jane, hence the error in addressing
you as Jesse.

Please answer the questions asked in the letter
sent you some days ago, which was addressed to Jesse.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

By

Chief Clerk

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Appl. #20417

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

March 28, 1908.

Jane Green,
1016 Whiteside Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

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Please answer the questions asked in the letter sent you some days ago, which was addressed to Jesse.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Simon Miller
Special Commissioner

By

W. H. Crawford
Chief Clerk

FST/ALS

Chattanooga Times
August 21st 1908
Hon. Gideon Miller
Dear Sir.

I return this notice
with the information, that
I met you here according
to this notice; and I
was not ready to furn-
ish any proof and I, on
account of my bad health
failed to get back, before
you left Chattanooga.

I now have two wit-
nesses, namely, Jesse
Chavers and Willis
Chavers, who reside
at Acriston Tennessee,
and I ask leave to
get my proof such
as you require.

My P O address is
now No 815 Cowart St
Chattanooga Tenn
Very Truly Yours
Jaul Green
P O M

App No 20417

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 12th, 1908.

Application No. 20417.

Jane Green,

1016 Whiteside St., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in
the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in
favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that

Stanley M. Boutz,

one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Chattanooga, Tenn.

on Friday, June 19th

, 1908, at 9 o'clock

A. M. for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have
any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should
also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by
making inquiry at the ^{of} ~~Hotel~~ ^{Clark, U.S. Court, Post Office Bldg., Chattanooga.}

Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20417.

Jane Green, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Jane Green and I reside at Chattanooga, Tenn. I was born in Jackson County, Ala. in 1858. I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my father, Willis Prescott, who was a half-blood Cherokee Indian. My mother was a white woman. My father was born in the Indian Territory, which was known as the Cherokee Nation. I remember my father very well and he had the characteristics of a Cherokee Indian, and he always told us that he was a Cherokee. My father, when he died, was about 55 years of age. He died in about 1867. My father was married in the Indian Territory before coming to Alabama, where he married his second wife, my mother. My father, by his first wife, had six children, only two of whom are living, one of which said children is named Sorana Prescott, who resides at Deckert, Tenn., in Marion County. I know of no enrollment of my parents as Cherokee Indians. My people have always been recognised as white people and were never slaves.

(Signed) her
Jane x Green.
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.

Assistant to Special
Commissioner of the
Court of Claims.

Note: This party has all the characteristics of an Indian, and I believe the claim is good.

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CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. APR 16 1908
No. 20411

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AT
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Jesse Green
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Street,
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1010 White St. Tenn.
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CHATTANOOGA, TENN.
MAR 31
835 PM



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No. 20418.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Joseph Williams* and *X* children. Residence: *Hill City, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Obtained through the same source as # 20334.

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No.

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Name

Joseph Williams

With No.

20334

Remarks:

No. 50412

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joseph Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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IN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

L. B. JOHNSON

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Joseph Williams*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Hill City*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Nov 8th 1878 Chattooga Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Ida Williams Aged 24 years*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William Williams*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Adaline Williams*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Adaline Jones*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In South Carolina*
Mother: *Bartow Co Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Chattooga Co Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *22 years ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| (1) | Belle Covington | <i>don't know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | Forest Williams | 1864 | " |
| (3) | William Williams | 1866 | <i>died 1888</i> |
| (4) | Oscar Williams | 1868 | " <i>1898</i> |
| (5) | Glyde Williams | 1872 | " <i>1889</i> |
| (6) | Kate | 1870 | <i>Living</i> |
| | <i>Cheney</i> | 1874 | <i>died 1907</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| <i>Don't know.</i> | <i>Green Henry.</i> |
| <i>Queen McConnell</i> | <i>Malissa</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Henry's in Bartow County Ga. Queen McConnell in Chattooga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| Father's side | Mother's side |
|--|--|
| (1) English name: <i>Adaline Young</i> | (2) English name: <i>Charles Jones</i> |
| Indian name: <i>Died 1891</i> | Indian name: <i>Texas</i> |
| Residence: <i>Texas</i> | Residence: <i>William Jones</i> |
| (3) English name: <i>William Jones</i> | Indian name: <i>Rising Star Ga</i> |
| Indian name: <i>Jefferson Jones</i> | Residence: <i>Jefferson Jones</i> |
| Residence: <i>Eucharlee Ala</i> | (4) English name: <i>Eucharlee Ala</i> |
| (5) English name: <i>Eucharlee Ala</i> | Indian name: <i>Eucharlee Ala</i> |
| Residence: <i>Eucharlee Ala</i> | Residence: <i>Eucharlee Ala</i> |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Joseph Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Adaline Williams and Katie Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph Williams, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 29 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Joseph Williams *Adaline Williams*
Katie Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 29 1907

No. 20418

June 23, 1907.

Dear Sir

You have sent me a
postal card notifying that
you have received my
application, and will
now please let me hear
whether I stand and let
me hear from you right
away. No 20418.

Yours truly

Joe Williams
City Term.

App. #20418.

July 11, 1907.

Joseph Williams,
Hill City,
Tennessee.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of June 23, 1907, you are advised that the applications for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund have not been taken up for final consideration, as the Court of Claims in its order of April 29, 1907 has extended the time for the filing of applications to August 31, 1907, and until the applications have all been filed it will be impossible to give final consideration to any of them, or to state just how much each successful claimant will receive.

As there are already over 28,000 applications on file and the claimants are widely scattered through the United States, it will necessarily take considerable time to have all of these cases adjudicated, and until they are so determined no money can be distributed.

If you have any minor children you should file a supplemental application in their behalf.

A supplemental application blank is inclosed.

Very respectfully,

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1 inclosure.

Special Commissioner.

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March 18, 1908.

Hill City, Tenn.

Sir:

Very respectfully,

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COURT OF CLERKS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAR 30 1908
No. *20470*

Phil Carter

Mar 28

Dear Sir

You asked me my
grandfather's name
and I told you
that was Charles
all of my ancestors were
slaves for I am Indian
and all

my family now
live in the mountains so my
name is not so common
as it was

F. S. T.

so I thank you
and you in the
fund.

yours
Joe Smith
Hill City

Apper no 20418-203

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. AUG 18 1909

No. 20418

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No. 20419

Action: *Reject*

Name: *George Reed* and *3* children. Residence: *East Chatt. Tenn.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20348.

20419

No. 20449

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

George Reed

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

H. P. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

20449

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined:

1. State full name—
English name: *George Reed*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *East Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *" " "*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *March 22nd 1870, Whitfield Co Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Indian blood through my father William E Reed.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mollie Reed, 28 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William E Reed Jr*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Nancy J Reed*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Nancy J Murray*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Murray County Ga*
Mother: *Union Tenn*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Murray Co Ga*
Mother: *Union Tenn*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>John Reed</i> | <i>Sep 4, 1867</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Cinda "</i> | <i>Mch 22, 1873</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Mary "</i> | <i>Sep 20, 1880</i> | <i>died 6 yrs ago</i> |
| (4) | <i>Annie "</i> | <i>" 30, 1886</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (5) | <i>Sallie "</i> | <i>June 7, 1894</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>Rebecca "</i> | <i>Sep 7, 1876</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| <i>M. Kenzie Reed</i> | <i>James Murray</i> |
| <i>Nancy A "</i> | <i>Jane "</i> |

17. Where were they born? *M. Kenzie Reed born Knox Co Tenn Nancy A Reed in Sevier Co Tenn. James Murray, Knox Co. Jane Murray somewhere East of Knoxville Tenn*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Reeds lived in Murray Co Ga. the Murrays in Union Co Tenn*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *William C Hardin*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 12 yrs ago*

(2) English name: *Joseph Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *in Ala*

(3) English name: *Charles Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *in Ala*

(4) English name: *Samuel Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *Walker Co Ga*

(5) English name: *William Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 1859*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
Sallie Reed
W C Meyers

(Signature.)

George Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Sallie Reed

and

W C Meyers

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with George Reed, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 9 years and 18 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Sallie Reed

W C Meyers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

W H Matthews

Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark. *Wm. J. Jones* *has* claim.

Signatures of Witnesses.

George Reed
Samuel Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *August*, 190*7*.

W. J. Jones
Notary Public.

My commission expires *9 Oct*, 190*7*.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. *20,419*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

George Reed
His 3 minor children

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

W. J. Jones
att'y

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20,419

1. State your full name: George Reed for 3 minors
2. Residence and post office: East Chattanooga, 5 Ave #112
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: Mch 1st 1870 Whitfield Co Ga
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mollie Reed 30 yrs old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Georgia Pearl Reed</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>Mch 24, 1896</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ruth Stella "</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>July 26, 1903</u> |
| (3) | <u>Wilber Leonard "</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>Mch 17, 1906</u> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Claim is made for the above named children who get their Cherokee blood from their father and his ancestors

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. witnessed

George Reed (Signature) his
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.
Ed Mathews
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nancy Reed and Thomas Jenkins who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George Reed who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 37 years and 16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Nancy Reed

Signatures of Witnesses.

Nancy Reed
Thomas Jenkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August, 1907.

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20,419

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

George Reed
his 3 minor children

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

NOTARY

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Group #20348,
App. #20419.

March 9, 1908.

George Reed,

5th Avenue #112, E. Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the birth
of your son, Wilber Leonard Reed, giving day, month and year.
If any of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAR 16 1908
No. 20418

Notary Public

State of Tennessee }^{SS} On this 14, day of
County of Hamilton } March 1908.

Personally appeared
before me the under signed authority
legally commissioned as a Notary Public
with in and for the County and state
aforesaid: George Reed, who being
duly sworn by me, makes the following
statement, to wit, that he is 38 yrs old
that his P.O. address is East Chattanooga
Tenn. Harrison ave. Claimant states that
he filed his application for participation in
the Eastern Cherokee fund, with L. B. Jones of
Chattanooga Tenn, on the 17th day of August 1907
that he filed for himself and 3 minor children
to wit, Georgia, Ruby, and Wilber Leonard, that
Wilber Leonard, was born on the 17, day of
Novr. 1905, and was a year and 9 months
old the day said application was filed.
Harry Reed, oldest child of George Reed, was born
Sept 24, 1894. died Dec. 29. 1894. Robert Clay the
next oldest child, was born 1st of Octr 1895, and
died 21st June 1896. Ellie F. next oldest, 1st day
of June, 1897 & died 15th Octr 1897. Minnie the
next oldest, was born, Sept 11, 1898, and died 1903.
The foregoing is a full and true statement
of the family of George Reed, whose application

is no. 20,348.3

J E Ogilvie

Sworn to and subscribed
before me, the day and date
herein before stated, and I certify
that I have no interest in this
claim. That my commission expires
Oct 9, 1911.

J E Matthews
Notary Public

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| COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES. | |
| Rec. MAR 16 1906 | |
| No. 20419 | |

No. 20420

Action: Reject

Name: John Lecroy and X children. Residence: Dillon, Ga.

Reasons:

Applicant, nor ancestors were never enrolled. It does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 and 1846 as recognized members of the tribe. Miscel Test. Page 267.
H.C.B.

20420

Field: ?
Hamilton Co Tenn
or
No. 20420. Walker Co Ga.
Name John Leeroy
With No.

Remarks:

27.45, 4.45

Awaiting evidence of
John Leeroy, Walker
Co. Ga. Respectables
received.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 11131

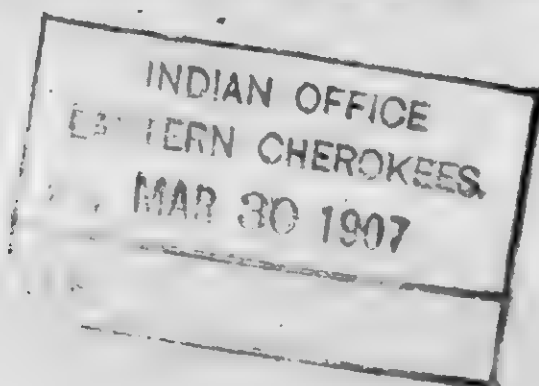
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

John Lecroy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. H. HONTS

CHATTANOOGA TAMP

20420

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Lecroy*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Walker Co. Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Dillon*
4. County: *Walker*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 17 1846. Walker Co. Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim through my father for my Cherokee blood Thomas Lecroy*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Martha Jane Lecroy 45 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Thomas Lecroy*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Susana* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Susana Allen*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *in East Tennessee*
Mother: *in State of S.C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Walker County Ga*
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 1901* Mother: *died 1877*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Martha Lecroy</i> | <i>1840</i> | <i>1851</i> |
| (2) | <i>Elizabeth Woodall Lecroy</i> | <i>1842</i> | <i>1886</i> |
| (3) | <i>Francis Marion</i> | <i>1844</i> | <i>1865</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| <i>John Lecroy Sr</i> | <i>Howard Allen</i> |
| <i>Darcus</i> | <i>— Or Mother</i> |

17. Where were they born? *in state of N.C. is where Lecroys were born*
The Allens were born in S.C.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr Lecroy died lived*
in Walker Co. Ga. All the others were dead.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>John Lecroy</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>died in time of civil war</i> |
| (2) English name: | <i>William Lecroy</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>don't know</i> |
| (3) English name: | <i>Robert Lecroy</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>don't know</i> |
| (4) English name: | <i>Mary Longree Lecroy</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>died in 1878</i> |
| (5) English name: | <i>Martha Lecroy</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>died in 1880</i> |

(6) *Elizabeth Lecroy, died same time in 1880*
20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835;

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Lecroy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Martha Jane Lecroy* and *George Hughes*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John Lecroy*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Martha Jane Lecroy
George Hughes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20420.

March 19., 1908.

John Leeroy,

Dillon, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents, or your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were you and your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

WCT/EDD.

50450.

File

No. 20421.
Name Oney Wafford and X children. Residence: Whorley, Tenn.
Action: Reject
Reasons:

See application of mother # 20345.

20421

No. 20421
Name Mattie Wafford
With No. 20340
Remarks:

20421.

See

20422
205-67

No. 50422

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Mattie Wafford
For
her minor child Oney

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| INDIAN OFFICE |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| MAR 30 1907 |

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Matie Wafford for married one*
Indian name: *Wafford*
2. Residence: *Whorley, Georgia*
3. Town and post office: *" "*
4. County: *Hartwell*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 6th 1888 Dayton, Georgia*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *She claims through her father.*
8. Are you married? *No.*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *—*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William Wafford*
Indian name: *—*
Mother—English name: *Matie Wafford*
Indian name: *—*
Maiden name: *Matie McCarry*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In S.C.*
Mother: *Murray Co. Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Not born in 1851*
Mother: *" " " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|--------------------|-------------|--------|
| (1) Arthur Hofford | May 25 1840 | Living |
| (2) Maude " | Dec 18 1843 | " |
| (3) Jessie " | Oct 4 1844 | " |
| (4) McKinley " | Dec 17 1846 | " |
| (5) George added " | May 4 1900 | " |
| (6) Louise " | Oct 14 1903 | " |
| Samuel " | Jan 14 1906 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|----------------|
| <i>I dont know</i> | Isaac Mcbamy |
| Eliza A Hofford | McKie " |

17. Where were they born? *Eliza A Hofford in St. Louis, Mo. The Mcbamy's in Blount Co. Tenn.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Mcbamy's in Blount Co. Tenn. Eliza Hofford resided*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side
(1) English name: *The Mcbamy's in*
Indian name: *Murray Hofford*
Residence: *Died many years ago*

(2) English name: *Mares Hofford*

Indian name:

Residence: *Spring place Ga*

(3) English name: *James Hofford*

Indian name: *Died 8 years ago*

Residence:

(4) English name: *Henry Hofford*

Indian name:

Residence: *Murray Co Ga*

(5) English name: *Mary Hallaway*

Indian name: *Died 13 years ago*

Residence: *Alice Wilkes Sherman Heights*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

Addie Hunt. Res. Sherman Heights Tenn
Mother side: Annie Knox Res. Chattanooga Tenn
Mallie Gilbert " Chickamauga Ga
Leella Johnson Dalton
Jesse McCarney Chattanooga Tenn

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Mattie Hoffard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr

1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

McKie McCarney

and

Jona Hickinfottom

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with

Mattie Hoffard

, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 20 years,

respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and

that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

McKie McCarney

Jona Hickinfottom

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr

1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20422.

Action:

Reject

Name

Maud Wofford

and

X

children.

Residence:

Whorley, Tenn.

Reasons:

See application of mother # 20345.

20422

No. 28452 (My)
Name Mattie Wafford
With No. 28454
Remarks:

No. 11120

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Mattie Wafford
For
her minor child Maud

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAR 20 1907

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20422

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Matthew Hafford for minor child Maud Hafford

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Whorley Tenn

3. Town and post office:

"

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

Dec 18 1893 Dayton Tenn

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: She claims through her father

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William Hafford

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Matthew Hafford

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Matie Mcbamy

11. Where were they born?

Father:

In Sb

Mother:

Murray Co Ga

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Not born in 1851

Mother:

" " " "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------|-------------|--------|
| (1) | Lona Wafford | Aug 6 1888 | Living |
| (2) | Jesse " | Oct 4 1894 | " |
| (3) | Arthur " | May 25 1893 | " |
| (4) | McKinley " | Dec 17 1896 | " |
| (5) | George " | May 4 1900 | " |
| (6) | Agatha " | Sept 8 1902 | " |
| | Salvage " | Jan 19 1906 | " |
| | Samuel " | Aug 6 1888 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

I don't know Isaac Mcbamy
Eliza A. Wafford McKie

17. Where were you born? Eliza A. Wafford in Sb. The Mcbamy in Blount Co. Tenn don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The Mcbamy in Blount Co. Tenn don't know where

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side
(1) English name: Moses Wafford
Indian name: Died many years ago
Residence:

(2) English name: Moses Wafford
Indian name:

Residence: Spring Place Ga

(3) English name: James Wafford

Indian name: Died 8 years ago
Residence:

(4) English name: Henry Wafford
Indian name:

Residence: Murray Co. Ga

(5) English name: Mlice Wilkes Sherman Heights
Indian name:

Residence: Mary Galaway Died 13 years ago

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I don't know

Addie Hunt Res. Sherman Heights Tenn
 Mothers side Annie Knox
 Maggie Gilbert Chattanooga Tenn
 Luella Johnson Chickamauga Tenn
 Spencer McCombs Dalton Ga
 Chattanooga Tenn

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Mattie Wofford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Octr 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me McKie McCombs and Iona Heckelbottom, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mattie Wofford, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

McKie McCombs
Iona Heckelbottom

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Octr 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20423

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mother Jane Thukel* and *V* children. Residence: *Bristow, Tenn.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that applicant or any of her ancestors were ever allied, it does not appear that they were parties to the treaty of 1835-6 & 1846 or that they were living within the Cherokee domain at that time. It does appear that applicants ancestors were recognized as white people.

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No. 20423. ^{Field} Hamilton Co Tenn

Name Martha J. Heusel

With No.

Remarks: Ex 111

Field
Highland Park Station
Chatt. Tenn.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20423

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Martha Jane Hinkle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAR 30 1907

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20423

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Martha Jane Henkel*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Bushtown*
3. Town and post office: *Highland Park Sta. Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Nov 2nd 1858. Gilford Co. N.C.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Indian blood through my father. Robert Kirkman*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Henry Henkle. 60 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Robert Kirkman*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Caroline* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Caroline Murphy*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Gilford Co N.C.*
Mother: *Rockingham Co N.C.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Gilford County N.C.*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died in 1864* Mother: *died in 1878*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| (1) | <i>Rachel Adella Kirkman</i> | <i>1862</i> | <i>died 1879</i> |
| (2) | <i>William Franklin Kirkman</i> | <i>1869</i> | <i>dont know</i> |
| (3) | <i>James Monroe</i> | <i>" 1870</i> | <i>" "</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>dont know</i> | <i>Johnathan Murphy</i> |
| <i>" "</i> | <i>Eliza</i> |

17. Where were they born? *My Gr parents on my mothers side to wit the Murphys were born in Rockingham Co N.C*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gilford County N.C*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Cynthia Kirkman*

Indian name:

Residence: *died in 1882*

(2) English name: *Alison Kirkman*

Indian name:

Residence: *died many years ago*

(3) English name: *John Kirkman*

Indian name:

Residence: *died shortly after close of civil war*

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Martina Jane Henkel*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *Mich*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Thomas Mattox* and *Katie Pearson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Martina Jane Henkel*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *1* years and *12* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

John Davis

Harmand M. Baker

Signatures of witnesses.

Thomas Mattox

Katie Pearson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *Mich*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Highland 17th Nov 1890
Dear Sir
I am

Bushtown, Dundee
I am sorry to hear
that you are
ill and hope
you will soon
be well again.
I am
Yours faithfully
J. M. M.
J. M. M.
J. M. M.

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Appln. No. 20423.

March 19, 1908.

Martha Jane Henkel,
Highland Park Station
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents, and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending
to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

WST/BIO.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 3 1908

No. 20423.

Bustown St ~~Carroll~~

March 31 1908.

Mr. Quinn Miller Dear
Sir I have not been
in the office for days now
but could not answer it
before. There is a green
book in the office of the
Indian my green mother
has written my father's name
and my aunt said
that my green parents
were called as that
I can see that there

and now want to see
last summer that is
father had been married
and so at last she
did not expect and so
there was no more
at all.

Grandmother Bath died when
a woman could not
any more. She was
in bed for a long time
and all
about her was a
little to make her
to give her
a little more.

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No. 20423.

Martha Jane Henkel, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Martha Jane Henkel and reside at Highland Park Station, Tenn. I was born in Gilford Co., N. C., in the year 1858. I claim through my father and grandfather. My father, Robert Kirkman, was a half-blood Cherokee Indian, and my grandfather, Jonathan Murphy, was a full-blood Cherokee Indian. My father was born in Gilford Co., ~~Tenn~~ North Carolina. My grandfather was born in Tennessee, I do not know the County, but I remember him thoroughly. He always called him "Uncle John" or "Indian John", but his right name was Jonathon. My grandfather died in '66. My aunt has always told me that my grandfather was enrolled as a Cherokee Indian. My aunt died in August, 1907 and was about eighty years of age when she died, and she said that when my grandfather was enrolled as a Cherokee Indian she was about 16 years of age. My people have always been recognized as white people and were never slaves. This is all I know about the case, except that my brother, who is dead, always spoke the Indian language. When I was small I remember the Indians living around us.

(Signed) M. J. Henkel

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chatanooga, Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.

Assistant to Special
Commissioner of the Court
of Claims.

Rejest. S.A.F.

No. 2424

Name E. J. Taylor

Action: Rejected

Reasons:

and no children.

Residence: Montreal

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled
Mother was a slave. See Letter filed herein
marked "Ex. A".

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~~Field: ?~~
~~Hamilton Co, Tenn~~
No. 20424
Name Elay Taylor
With No. 1
Remarks: Ex file
Letter
Chatt. Tenn.

Noting to apply
Chattanooga
191001 and paid
in cash.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20134

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

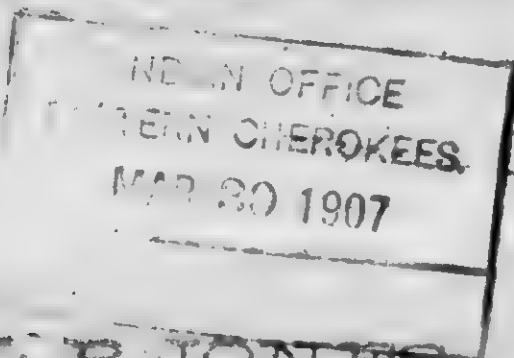
APPLICATION

OF

Esy Taylor

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN

20424

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Elsy Taylor nee Love

Indian name:

2. Residence:

City of Chattanooga

3. Town and post office:

Arondale or East Chattanooga

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

Oct 1856. Rome Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make my claim of Indian blood through my father Allen Love

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Samuel Taylor, 60 yrs old

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Allen Love

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Eliza

Indian name:

Maiden name

Eliza Burnell

11. Where were they born?

Father:

near Rome Ga

Mother:

"

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

near Rome Ga

Mother:

"

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

died 25 yrs ago

Mother:

died 21 yrs ago

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Julius Love</i> | <i>1872</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Mary Hestney nee Love</i> | <i>dont know</i> | <i>died 9 yrs ago</i> |
| (3) | <i>Julia Coles</i> | <i>" "</i> | <i>" 6 "</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|----------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Love</i> | <i>Julias Burnett</i> |
| <i>Rosette</i> | <i>Caroline</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Gr father & mother Love in Ga near Rome. Gr parents Burnett born also near Rome Ga*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All lived in Ga near Rome*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Angelina Love*

Indian name:

Residence: *I dont know*

(2) English name: *Sarah Love*

Indian name:

Residence: *I dont know, did live in Atlanta Ga*

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

witnesses. Arthur Wofford. ^{her} Elsy Taylor
Amanda M. Roley (Signature.) mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

C. A. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Amanda M. Roley and Mackey McCaney, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elsy Taylor, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and 16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Arthur Wofford.

Amanda Roley

Geulber Johnson

Mackey McCaney ^{her} mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Octr, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

C. A. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20424.

March 19, 1908.

Elsy Taylor,

East Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/HLO.

#50454

C.H.

The Cherokee, and demands a fair investigation
of her case; before the final disposition is made
of said fund.

her
Mary Taylor
mont

Witness

A. J. Murphy.

Sworn to and subscribed before
me, and I certify that, I have no interest in
this claim.

W. M. Matthews Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 13 1908
No. 20424.

App No 20424

State of Tennessee }
County of Hamilton 1908. *MS.* On this 10th day of June
Elsy Taylor, Claimant, before
me, and made the following sworn
statement: That she don't know, why her name,
or any of her ancestor's names, do not appear on the
rolls of the Eastern Cherokees, if it is a fact that
none of their names do appear, on said rolls, this
Claimant is unable to assign any reason for it.
Claimant states that her information was obtained
from her parents, relative to the Cherokee blood in her
veins. That her father, was a mixed blood of Indian
and negro. That Claimant's grandmother on her
father's side was a full blood Cherokee, and her name
was Rose Etta Loe. That Claimant, from information
is of opinion, and believes, that her mother was a slave of
a man named Harris, but only heard it, (in this way, that
he was called grand pa Harris, ^{an Indian} and he, was said to be a full
blood Cherokee Indian. Claimant's great grandfather was
named Harris, and her grandfather on her father's side was
named Loe. But her Indian blood all come from her
grand mother, on her father's side. This Claimant was
taught from her infancy, or from the time that she
can remember that she was a descendant of Cherokee Indians,
and Claimant believes it, and believes she is entitled
to a pro rata of the fund to be distributed among

the Cherokee, and demands a fair investigation
of her case, before the final disposition is made
of said fund.

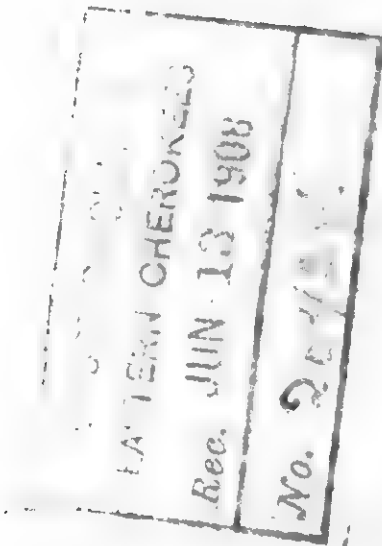
Witness

B. F. Grigsby.

^{her}
Elsy x Taylor
mark

Sworn to and subscribed before
me, and I certify that, I have no interest in
this claim.

E. H. Matthews Notary Public



Chattanooga Tenn
July 7, 1908

Dear Sir:

20424
I rec'd this notice too late, to appear before you in Chattanooga; you had been here and gone before. I got my letter or notice, I have a witness to testify as to my Cherokee blood, one in the person of Moses Burnett. I can't account for the delay of my mail, the envelope shows that it was rec'd at my P.O. June 15/08, and rec'd it on Friday July 3rd/08.

Please give me another chance to prove up my claim, as I believe I can do it.

Yours ve
Eley Taylor

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 18th, 1908.

Application No. 20424.

Walter Taylor,
East Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in
the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in
favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that

Stanley A. Rantz,

one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Chattanooga, Tenn.

on Friday, June 19th, 1908, at 9 o'clock
A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have
any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should
also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by
of Clerk, U.S. Court, Post Office Bldg., Chattanooga.
making inquiry at the Hotel.

Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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App. No. 20424.

July 16, 1908.

4. State of Tenn.
are entitled .

Elsy Taylor, early reply will be
Avondale,
refer to No. 20424, Tenn.

Madam:

Very respectfully,

You were notified to appear before a representative
of this office at Chattanooga, Tenn. Special Commissioner,
ESE/EOO. failed to put in an appearance. A letter was sent
you some time since requesting additional information in re-
gard to your claim, but no reply has as yet been received.
Unless, therefore, you can furnish additional information,
as requested below, your claim will be rejected. The addition-
al information required is:

1. Why were you, your parents, or your grandparents,
never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors slaves?
3. Were any of your ancestors parties to the Treaties
of 1835-6 and 1846?
4. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you
are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated, in which please
refer to No. 20424.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

ESE/EOO.

By

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 24 1908
No. 20494

App. No 20,424

Avondale Tennessee

July 21st 1908

Hon. Guion Miller Spl Comm'r

Dear Sir

In reply to your letter, herewith attached. I have this to say; I didn't receive your notice, to appear before your assistant, and give testimony of which you mention in time to comply with it. Then as to why my parents were not enrolled as Cherokee Indians: I know nothing, except, that they may have not known anything about such enrollment being made, as to the enrollment of myself, was too young, being now, only about 4 1/2 yrs old. My father was 3/4 Cherokee; my mother was a slave, so I have been informed. My mother always told me; and taught me, that my father was a descendent of the Cherokee tribe. And I have believed, and do now believe that Cherokee Indian blood flows in my veins, and respectfully ask a fair investigation of my case. I have proof, which I think is sufficient to satisfy any unbiased mind, that my claim is good. and all I ask, is, to show my claim by proof.

Witness of Jos. B. Burnett Elsie Taylor
mark

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| COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES. | |
| Rec. | AUG 18 1909 |
| No. | |

Atmanga Tenny

8/12/1851

Relative to the request of
Special Commissioner Lewis
Miller, Commission my offer
Cation no 20424, for part of
in the fund arising from the judg-
ment of the Court of Claims in
favor of the Western Pioneer.
I Eliza Taylor was born in Clark
County Va. My father Robert Reese
Barrie was living in Clark Co. Va.
that is as my native Mr father
was named Eliza Jane McLawrence
in 1851. Her mother and mother
she was living in 1851. She has been
dead about 32 years the last in all
Va. In 1851 she was about 65 years old

Now comes Mose Bennett in
whom I am personally acquainted
with and makes the affidavit, and
says that he has known Essy Taylor
all of her life and nursed her
when she was a child and knew
her father and mother the Ancestors who
she makes the claim through and
that she was living in 1857 and
was about 58 years of age at that
time and she died in Atlanta
32 years ago but did not know
her Indian name and the state-
ment made by her is true to the
best of my knowledge and belief
Mose Bennett

Witnessed and subscribed to
this 12 day of Aug. 1919
G. H. Allen Notary Public

No. 20425

Action: *Accepted*

Name *William H. Burkett* and *8* children. Residence: *Trenton, Mo.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that applicant or any of his ancestors were ever enslaved. It does not appear that they were living within the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 or 1846 as members of the tribe. It does appear that they were living beyond the domain and were recognized as white people.

Misc. Test. P. 207-208

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Field.
No. 2425. Glade Co. Ga.
Name Wm. Henry Burkett
With No.
Remarks: Gravel beneath
is no. 21695.

Field, Granton
Ga.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 135

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William Henry Burgett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

D. B. JONES

CHIEF CLERK

W. H. Burgett

Cherokee

20425

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *William Henry Burkett*

Indian name:

2. Residence: *Dade Co Ga*

3. Town and post office: *Trenton*

4. County: *Dade*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 8, 1858. Dade Co- Ga*

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Cherokee blood through my father Isaac H Burkett Mother Caroline Burkett nee*

Tyner

8. Are you married? *Yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mary Ann Burkett. 47 yrs old*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *Isaac H Burkett*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Caroline*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Caroline Tyner*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Rhea County Tenn*

Mother: *" " "*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Trenton Dade County Ga*

Mother: *" " "*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *died 1882*

Mother: *Died Dec 1st 1891*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| (1) | <i>Anderson Burkett</i> | <i>1852</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Caldonia Johnson</i> | <i>1854</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Ananda Wallace</i> | <i>1856</i> | <i>died 1904</i> |
| (4) | <i>James Burkett</i> | <i>1860</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (5) | <i>Sallie Cross</i> | <i>1865</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------|---------------------------------|
| <i>dont know</i> | <i>Gr father, Tigner</i> |
| <i>" "</i> | <i>Gr Mother, is all I know</i> |

17. Where were they born? *dont know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *dont know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Ernest Tigner*

Indian name:

Residence: *dont know*

(2) English name: *Harry Tigner*

Indian name:

Residence: *dont know*

(3) English name: *Biddie Tigner*

Indian name:

Residence: *dont know*

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claim.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *William Henry Burkett*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Alexander Jeffries* and *Robt Page*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *William Henry Burkett* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses

W C Mayers
Edith King

Alexander Jeffries
Robert Page

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *26* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

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No. 20425

Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Wm. H. Burkett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
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| COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 29 1908
No. |
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Comissiononer of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of Court of Claims of May 18, 1905; and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: William H Burkett
Indian name: Linea (Cherokee)
2. Residence: Granton Ga
3. Town and post office: " "
4. County: Dade
5. State: Georgia
6. Date and place of birth: Granton Ga Aug 8-1858
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my Grand parents John Liner and Rachel (Pider) Liner
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Maryann (Phillips) Burkett
wife
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Isaac Burkett
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Clarine Liner (before marriage)
Indian name: Liner
Maiden name: _____
11. Where were they born?
Father: Ray County Tennessee 1808
Mother: Ray County Tennessee 1830
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Granton Ga
Mother: " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
Father: 1882
Mother: Dec 1-1871

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Never

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----------------------------|-------------|------|
| (1) <u>Anderson Burnett</u> | <u>1852</u> | |
| (2) <u>Caldonia Burnett</u> | <u>1854</u> | |
| (3) <u>Mandy Burnett</u> | <u>1856</u> | |
| (4) <u>James Burnett</u> | <u>1860</u> | |
| (5) <u>Sallie Burnett</u> | <u>1862</u> | |
| (6) | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| MOTHER'S SIDE | FATHER'S SIDE |
|------------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>John Limer</u> | <u>Just Burnett</u> |
| <u>Rebecca (Rider) Limer</u> | <u>(is all I know)</u> |

17. Where were they born? Do not know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: I can't give these
Indian name: names or addresses
Residence:

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their

paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: Parents Isaac Burkett
and Elaline Burkett, nee Tiner, the Cherokee
Grandparents John Tiner & Rachie (Bider) Tiner
Both Cherokees

REMARKS:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature

W. H. Burkett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Jan 1st 1909

J. H. Hall
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Wm. H. Burkett

and

Robert E. Stagg

Payson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are
well acquainted with Wm. H. Burkett, who makes the foregoing application and state-
ments, and have known him for 25 years and 12 years, respectively, and know him to be identical
person. he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness

Robert E. Stagg

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Jan 1st 1909

J. H. Hall
Notary Public

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on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. L. Pace

W. J. G. G. G. G. G.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of August, 1907.

E. W. M. M. M. M. M.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 190 7

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No. 20425

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

William H. Bennett
for J. Moore
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



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CHEROKEE

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20425

1. State your full name: William H. Burkett
2. Residence and post office: Arrenton
3. County: Dade
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Aug 8th 1858 Dade County Ga
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary A. Burkett Aged 42
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee Tribe
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|------|-------------|
| (1) | Charles S. Burkett | 17 | Dec 14 1889 |
| (2) | Delia " | 16 | May 25 1891 |
| (3) | Daisy " | 14 | " 12 1893 |
| (4) | Verdella " | 12 | Feb 16 1895 |
| (5) | Myrtle " | Dead | Jan 27 1899 |
| (6) | Dorothy " | 8 | Jan 27 1898 |
| | | 6 | " 19 1901 |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William H. Burkett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of August 1907.

My Commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

Done
 Filed 17 1907
 Oct 20 1907
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 Mary Burkett

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. S. Burton B. L. Pace and J. O. Jacoway who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William H. Burkett who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 25 years and 40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of August, 1907.

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Octr, 1907

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No. 20425

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

William H. Burkett
for minor
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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on May 28, 1906, him to be the identical person for 25 years and 23 years, him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim. Witnesses to Mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of January 1908.
My commission expires Jan 1 1909.
Notary Public.

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No. _____
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF
Wm H. Burkett
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, IND. TER

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 29 1908

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. _____

1. State your full name: William H. Burnett
2. Residence and post office: Irmiton
3. County: Dade
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Irmiton 1858
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: May Burnett
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokees as to my self
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--|------|-------|
| (1) | Charlie D. Burnett | 18 | 1889 |
| (2) | Delia Burnett | 16 | 1891 |
| (3) | Daisy Burnett | 14 | 1893 |
| (4) | Vinda Burnett | 12 | 1895 |
| (5) | Donna Lee Burnett | 8 | 1899 |
| (6) | Sallie Burnett | 7 | 1901 |
| | Mary Burnett | 3 | 1903 |
| 10. | Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: <u>Yes</u> | | |

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) W. H. Burnett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Jan 1908

W. H. Allen
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Jan, 1908

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Wm H. Jarvey and Robert H. Dabbs who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Wm H. Burkett who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Jarvey
R. H. Dabbs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Jan 1907.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1, 1909.

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Wm H. Burkett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE

CLAIM AGENT.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Sent card
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Denton Ga Aug 11 1907
Mr claim agent of Indian
affairs Dear Sir I place my
proof of Indian kinship
before J B Jones of Chattanooga
Tenn & I haven't heard from
if and if I have to make any
more proof at any thing
Please advise me and
oblig yours R S

W H Burkett

App. No. 20425.

January 27, 1908.

W. H. Burkett,

Trenton,

Georgia.

Sir:-

Your letter of January 26, 1908, relative to one R. R. Foot, claiming to live at Lehigh, Indian Territory, is at hand, and in reply you are advised that no person of this name has any official connection with the Eastern Cherokee enrollment, and this office has no knowledge of any such man.

You are further advised that we have been informed that such a man operating under the name of R. R. Foote, or A. L. Foote, has been attempting to impose upon Indians, or those claiming to be Indians, throughout your section, but we have been unable to get any definite information in regard to him.

You are further advised that there is no charge made by this office for the investigation and consideration of your claim, and any person attempting to collect money from you to meet any such expenses is doing so unlawfully and should be prosecuted for attempting to obtain money by false pretenses.

I would suggest that you call this matter at once to the attention of the prosecuting attorney in your county, and I am sending a letter to the Prosecuting Attorney of Dade County, setting forth the substance of this letter.

#2--W. H. Burkett:

I would be glad to be advised of any further information you may have in regard to this party.

So far as the Eastern Cherokee enrollment is concerned there will be no necessity for you to leave home, unless you receive some communication from me to that effect.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM:HLC.

Order Sheet

Special Commissioner

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Appln. No. 20425.

March 19, 1908.

William Henry Burkett,
Trenton, Ga.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?

Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to participate in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Chief Clerk.

W.H.B.

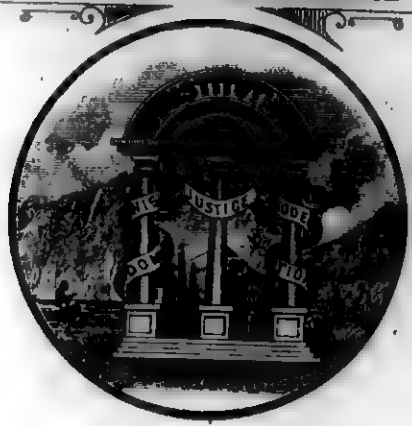
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 25 1908
No. 20428

STATE OF GEORGIA



CLERK SUPERIOR COURT

S. J. HALE, CLERK.

TRENTON, GA.,

May 23 1908

Union Miller, Special Com.
Dear Sir:

I enclose
you in part the information
desired, and it is all I can
furnish, I do not know
any thing about my Grand
Parents on my Father's
side, nor can I get any—
I trust what I have sent
will prove satisfactory.

Yours truly
W. H. Burkitt

W. H. Burkitt
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 23 1909
No. 26425

Apr. no. 20425

Fremont Ga
June 21, 1909
Mr. Guion Schiller.

Dear sir I would like to
know if my application has
been finally acted upon or not.
Please let me hear from
you as soon as possible

W. H. Burkett

#20435

Miscel.

John H. Mulkey, being first duly sworn in behalf of William H. Burkett, deposes and says:

That I am 54 years of age and reside in Trenton, Ga. I am not acquainted with the applicant's mother or her parents, and know none of his ancestors except his uncle on his mother's side, who claimed to be 1/4 Cherokee Indian. This uncle was born and raised in Tenn., the eastern part, I think. He lived with the Indians as a recognized member of the tribe, so he told me. He is dead at this time. How I came to be acquainted with him was that he told me he was going to make some proof and obtain some land in the Territory. That has been 28 or 30 years ago and he told me that this station - Tyner Station - took its name from his grandfather who was a chief of the Cherokee Indians. Don't know what his name was. The only name I knew this uncle by was Sevier Tyner. He never had any other name. I don't know whether he was on any Indian roll or whether he ever received any money. He was Indian and white. That's all I know about him. To the best of my knowledge this applicant's mother was a sister of Sevier Tyner.

John H. Mulkey
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn. this 22nd day of June, 1908.

J. D. R.
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

#20425

Miscel.

William Henry Burkett being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 50 years of age and live on Sand Mountain, near Trenton, Ga. I claim my Indian descent through my mother and her father, John Tyner. My mother ~~xxxx~~grandfather~~xxxx~~ was born and raised in Ray Co. I don't know about my grandfather. My mother had one-quarter Cherokee blood. My mother was recognized as a white person in the community. I never saw my grandfather. I am recognized as a white person. I don't know whether my mother or grandfather were on any rolls or received any money from the government. ~~xxxx~~ My mother was living with the Indians in Ray Co., Tenn. but she was too young to take any part in their councils. I don't know about my grandfather. My mother nor grandfather were never known by any other name than that of Tyner. My wife is a white woman.

W. H. Burkett

Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn. this 30th day of June, 1908.

J. P. [unclear]
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

Applicant to all appearances is a white man.

APPLICATION

Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Wm H. Burkett
Trenton
Dade County
Georgia

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA I. T.

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| WAT. C. T. |
| EAST. F. C. T. IN |
| Per JA. 10150 |

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Cherokee

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Jim H. Burchett
do hereby make consti-
tute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Semi-nole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful at-
torney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior
Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato
share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this
case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises

I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of
all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and
the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my
claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not
paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Antin, Georgia
M. A. Burchett
Signature.

State of Georgia County of Cherokee
personally appeared Anderson P. Cagle who after having read over to Jim H. Burchett in the presence of the
attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, and contract after being qualified, signed and ac-
knowledgeed the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for
his services in said claim

My commission expires Jan 1st 1909 [L. S.]

And now to witness 2d day of Jan, 1908, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney,
etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises,
and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50)
Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand and the year and day above written.
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who hav-
ing signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,
Witness my hand and seal this 2d day of Jan 1908

Anderson P. Cagle
Notary Public

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Dade

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Wm H Burkett
for the county of Dade state of Georgia do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

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Robert E Page
Wm H Burkett

[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Wm H Burkett

Signature.

State of Georgia County of Dade. Be it known on the 21 day of Jan 1908 personally appeared Wm H Burkett who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid no attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 1st 1909
[L. S.]

J J Hau
Dade Co Ga

And now to witness 23 day of Jan 1908, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 23 day of Jan 1908

Wm H Davis
Notary Public

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec. MAR 25 1908

No. 20435

State of Georgia
Dade County

Personally
appeared before me, J. H. Hale
Clerk Supr Court in and for Dade
County, W. H. Burkett who on
oath says that his Grand Parents
on his Mother's side is as follows:
John Tiner Rachel (Ridley) Tiner
On My Father's side I am absolutely
incapable to furnish the names
of My Grand Parents.
He further states that he nor none
of his people ever made application
for enrollment prior to this claim
He further says that none of his
ancestors were slaves.
Subscribed and sworn to
before me, this 23rd day of March 1908, W. H. Burkett
J. H. Hale
Clerk Supr Court
Dade Co

No. 20426

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *George Gardinere* and no children. Residence: *East Chattanooga, Tenn*
1117-6 "kt."

Reasons:

*Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled.
Does not appear that they were living within the limits
of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 + 1846 as recognized
members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ever lived
with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe.*

Misc Test. P. 268.

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Field
Hamilton Co. Tenn?
No. 20426.
Name George Gardener
With No.
Remarks:

Field, East Chatt.
Tenn.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20120

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

George Garduhere

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20426

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *George Gardenhire*

Indian name:

2. Residence:

East Chattanooga

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

Apr 15th 1870 Saddy Tenn

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through*

my mother.

8. Are you married?

yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Frisey Gardenhire
Aged 22 years

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *William Gardenhire*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Mary Gardenhire*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Mary Balten*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Richmond Va*

Mother: *Knox Co. Tennessee*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother: *Knoxville Tenn*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------|-------|------------------|
| (1) | William Gardenhire | | Living |
| (2) | Teronia Coker | | " |
| (3) | Rachel Decheridge | | " |
| (4) | Vanda Howard | | Died 7 years ago |
| (5) | Peter B. Gardenhire | | Living |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|----------------|
| George Maddy | Ezekial Ballin |
| Mariah Cheek | Nancy Jones |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

on mother's side

| | | |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| (1) English name: | Elizabeth Ballin | Died many years ago |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | | |
| (2) English name: | William Ballin | Died long ago |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | | |
| (3) English name: | Pleasant Ballin | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | Marion Co Tenn | |
| (4) English name: | Fanny Ballin | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | Marion Co Tenn | |
| (5) English name: | | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

George L. Gardenhine

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

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E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me William Gardenhine and Joseph Whillow, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George Gardenhine, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 27 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Mattie Ufford Killian
Jennie Hickinbottom
Joseph Whillow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 20426.

March 19, 1908.

George Gardenhire,
East Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

FST/ELO.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 30 1908
No. 20426. |
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East Cherokee Nation 3/27-1908
To the Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.
Dear Sir I am in receipt of
your letter.

In ans to your questions I am
please to say that my
parents or grand parents
have been slaves.

I further misapprehension &
claim the right the right my

Grand Mother & Mother as my
Mother was a half Indian.
My Grand Mother is from the
Cherokee Indian tribe,
and was married.

But before their marriage
I am in the way why
they were not married.

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This being true I claim
that I have a right to
Share in the funds.

I await your answer yours
Truly

J. George Gardinier.

#1117-6th St E. Chautauque
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No. 20426.

George Gardenhire, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is George Gardenhire and I reside in Chattanooga, Tenn. I was born in James Co., Tenn., in the year 1870. I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my mother, Mary Gardenhire, whose maiden name was Mary Bollen, who was a half-blood Cherokee Indian. My grandmother was a full-blood Cherokee Indian. My father was owned by white people in Tennessee by the name of Gardenhire and he was a slave. My father and mother were married in 1868. My mother was not a slave. My grandmother's Indian name was Going, and my grandfather was a free man. All my grandparents came from the State of Tennessee. I know of nothing further about the family history. I do not know what my grandmother's people's names were or where they lived in 1851. I know nothing about my enrollment of the Indians.

(Signed) George Gardenhire

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.

Assistant to the Special
Commissioner of the Court
of Claims.

No. 20426.

William Gardenhire, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am the father of George Gardenhire who has just testified, and my testimony would be substantially the same as that given by my son. This is all I know in reference to the case.

Test:

Wm. D. Dalry

(Signed) William Gardenhire
his mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.

Note: Reject. S.A.P.

No. 20427

Action: Reject

Name: Henry Barnes and children.

Residence: Soddy Tenn

Reasons:

Son of 13387.

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No. 20427

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Henry Barnes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

L. B. JONES.

CHIEF OF BUREAU

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Henry Barnes*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Soddy Tennessee*
3. Town and post office: *Soddy*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *March 17th 1872. McMinn Co. Tenn.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Ada Barnes*
Aged 35 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Doc. Barnes*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Ellen Barnes*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Ellen Mullinax*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Southem Georgia*
Mother: *" "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Pickens County Ga*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Mother has been enrolled my father has not*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| (1) <i>Mary Nelson</i> | <i>1858</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) <i>Isabelle Medlock</i> | <i>1856</i> | <i>died in 1902</i> |
| (3) <i>Elias Barner</i> | <i>1860</i> | <i>" 16 years ago</i> |
| (4) <i>Jacob B "</i> | <i>1861</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (5) <i>Simon Barnes</i> | <i>1865</i> | <i>Dont know</i> |
| (6) <i>Malissa Skults</i> | <i>1863</i> | <i>died 11 years ago</i> |
| (6) <i>George Barner</i> | <i>1867</i> | <i>Living</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| <i>James Barner</i> | <i>Francis Springfield</i> |
| <i>William Barner</i> | <i>Francis</i> |
| <i>Dont know</i> | <i>Dont know</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Dont know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Dont know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| English name: | Indian name: | Residence: |
|---------------|--------------|------------|
| (1) | | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |

I dont know anything to much

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I dont know that I ever was*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Henri Barnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1906

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jacob B Barnes and Letcha McCallough, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Henry Barnes, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by his are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Jacob Barnes
M S Martin

Signatures of witnesses.

J B Barnes
Letcha McCallough

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20428

Action: Reject

Name: Jacob B. Bamer and children. Residence: Soddy Tenn.

Reasons: Son of 18387. R.F.D. no 3.

20428

No. 50-124

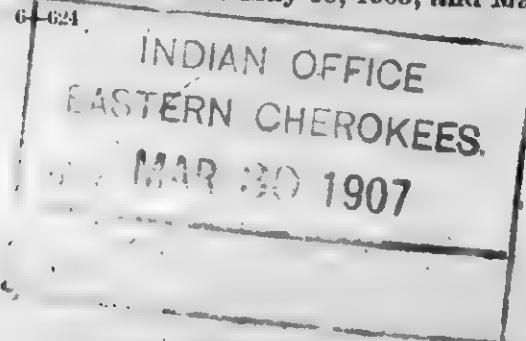
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jacob P Barnes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



J. P. JONES.

CHATTANOOGA TENN

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

my mother.

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *My mother has been enrolled, my father has not*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|--|-----------------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Mary Wilson | 1855 | Living |
| (2) | Isabelle Medlock | 1856 | 1902 |
| (3) | Edgar Barnes | 1860 | died 16 years ago |
| (4) | Simon Barnes | 1865 | Don't know |
| (5) | Henry Barnes Met 17, 1871 | | Living |
| (6) | Malissa Barnes | 1868 | died 11 years ago |
| | George Barnes | 1887 | Living |
| | John Barnes | 1870 | died 10 years ago |
| 16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible: | William Barnes | 1872 | died 10 years ago |
| | FATHER'S SIDE: Thomas Springfield | | Living |
| | Don't know | Don't know | |
| | " | " | " |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, living at that time? *Don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Indian name: Residence: *Know nothing of my children*
- (2) English name: Indian name: Residence: *Know nothing of my children*
- (3) English name: Indian name: Residence: *Know nothing of my children*
- (4) English name: Indian name: Residence: *Know nothing of my children*
- (5) English name: Indian name: Residence: *Know nothing of my children*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I cannot say*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Jacob B Barnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Henry Barnes and Letcha McCullough, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jacob B Barnes, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Henry Barnes

Letcha X McCullough

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 October

, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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Idaho, Tenn June 13 1901

our Union miles

Dear Sir

Jacob Barnes
the son of Col. H. Barnes
of Alabama ind. I wrote
to me that all of her
children of age would
wrote to you for
I desire to be killed out
and will you please send
me one to kill out and
return to me in the next
mail

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Jacob James
Society, Tenn
H. T. D. # 3
Hamilton Co

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EASTERN CHEROKEE |
| JUN 15 1907 |
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Dear Sir 11/3/1903
Union Mines
Dear Sir
E. B. Jones, the person who
of Chaffin and died in
10 of 8. I am not sure
we are not going to
a lawyer and taking the
up at the time he wants
to put less on the dollar
and please let me know

it once whether
must employ another
we not on the will
of life

Jacob B. Barnes
No 20.428

No. 20429

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mary Caldwell* and *1* children. Residence: *257 Harrison Ave. Chattanooga, Tenn.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that applicant or any of her ancestors were ever enrolled. It does not appear that they were parties to the treaty of 1834-6 & 1846. It does not appear that they ever lived and associated with the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians -

Misc. Nat. P. 270.

20429

Field
Chattanooga ?
No. 20421. Term
Name Mary Goldwell
With No.
Remarks:

Field, Chatt June.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20429

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Caldwell

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906; in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20429

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Mary Coldwell Glover

Indian name:

2. Residence:

City of Chattanooga

3. Town and post office:

258 Harrison ave

4. County:

Hamilton

5. State:

Tennessee

6. Date and place of birth:

Oct 15, 1853. Rome Ga

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make my claim for my Cherokee blood through my mother whose name Clara Glover nee Cooley

8. Are you married?

Widow

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

William Glover

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Clara

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Clara Cooley

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Jasper County Florida

Mother:

South Alabama

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Rome Ga

Mother:

" "

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Living

Mother:

died in 1888

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
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| (1) | <i>Sofa Glover</i> | <i>don't know</i> | <i>died long ago</i> |
| (2) | <i>Mabell</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Matthi</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>" 30 yrs "</i> |
| (4) | <i>Ida</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (5) | <i>Thomas</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>William</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (7) | <i>Matthi</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>died 19 yrs ago</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE
I don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE
Jacob Autrey
Hannah

17. Where were they born? *The Autreys were born in South Alabama. don't know where. Gr. parents on father's side were born*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr. father & Gr. mother Autrey lived in Rome Ga. don't know where others lived*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Phillip Autrey*

Indian name:

Residence: *died before the civil*

(2) English name: *Mary Ann Autrey*

Indian name:

Residence: *died many yrs ago. don't know the date*

(3) English name: *Floyd Autrey*

Indian name:

Residence: *died in time of Civil war*

(4) English name: *Tony Autrey*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 25 or 30 yrs ago*

(5) English name: *Eppie Autrey*

Indian name:

Residence: *died long ago*

(6) *Hannah Autrey*
20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

witnesses
Mattie Ward
Rozie Sing Quoy
(Signature.) ^{her} Mary ^{mark.} Coldwell
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Mch, 1907
My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907
E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mattie Ward and Rozie Sing Quoy, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Coldwell, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 16 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Mch, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907
E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc..

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Appln. No. 20429.

March 19, 1908.

Mary Goldwell,
258 Harrison Ave.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims,
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Chief Clerk.

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27.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 6 1908
No. 91,424.

App no-20,429

State of Tennessee }
County of Hamilton }
An this 31st day
of March 1908
Personally appeared
before me, a Notary Public, duly commissi-
oned as such, and qualified to administer
oaths: Mary Colwell: who being legally
sworn by me: makes the following statement
to wit: That if her name, is not enrolled
as a Cherokee indian, she does not
know, the reason why, except that she had
no notice of such enrollment being made,
that she had no opportunity to enroll her name, as
an indian: That she claims her indian blood
thru her father, whose name was William
Glover who was a full blood Cherokee: That her
great grand mother on her father's side was
a full blood Cherokee, according to all ~~former~~
~~her~~ former history of her family, and her
name was Mollie Spears: claimants inform-
ation from her father is that she is $\frac{1}{2}$ Cherokee
blood, and if her parents and grand parents
were not enrolled at any of the various
enrollments of the Cherokees, she can't

assign any other reason, than that they had no notice of such enrollments being made, and had no opportunity to enroll their names as Cherokees. That her father thru whom she claims her indian blood was born in South Alabama. That none of her parents or grand parents, or ancestors further back, were ever slaves, of either white people or indians

M. A. Colwell.

By Sarah Colwell.

Sworn to before me the day and date therein before written & I certify that I have no interest in this claim, & that my commission expires Oct 9, 1911.

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public

The foregoing affidavit was sworn to and
 subscribed before me on this the 3rd day of
 July 1908. and I certify that I have no
 interest in this claim, either directly or in-
 directly, known under any seal of office.

W. H. D. Harris
 Justice of the Peace
 Cass Co

No. of application, 20,429

Mary Caldwell
 No 840 East 13th St

Chattanooga
 Tennessee
 Application
 No 20429

COUNT OF CLERK
 ENTERED & INDEXED
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 No 20429

State of Georgia) On this the 2nd day of July 1908
County of Floyd) Personally appeared before the
undersigned legal authority; Dora,
Wright, who being duly sworn, by me, and whom
I certify to be entitled to full credit, and who,
made the following statement; That she is 65 years of
age, that her P. O. address is ~~Hedge's Crossing~~ Rome Ga
Affiant further stating, says, she knows, Mary Caldwell,
now, of, no 840 East 13th st Chattanooga Tennessee.
and has known her for 50 years, that affiant is a first
cousin to said Mary Caldwell, (who is as affiant is in-
formed an applicant, for participation in the dis-
tribution of the fund, allowed by the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokee Indians.) Affiant
further stating says, she knew, Claimant's great
grandmother, whose name was Spearce, (Indian
name) (Wartee). That she, affiant, also knew Claimant's
father; that her great grand mother aforesaid was
a 1/2 blood Cherokee Indian, and her father, whose
name was, William or (Bill) Glover was a full blood
Cherokee. Affiant states that she knows, the above
to be true from association with them, and that they
were recognized and considered to be, Cherokees
by all that knew them; That Claimant's great grand-
mother was born, in Columbia County and State of Fla
Witnesses to affiant's signature x
x ~~Mattie Spearce~~
x Sarah Colwell. x Dora Wright
mark

The foregoing affidavit was sworn to and
subscribed before me on this the 3rd day of
July 1908. and I certify that I have no
interest in this claim, either directly or in-
directly, given under my seal of office.

x Walter Harris
x Justice of the Peace
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No. of application, 20,429

Mary Caldwell
No 840 East 13th St
Chattanooga
Tennessee
Application
no 20429

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No. 20429.

Mary Coldwell, being first duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is Mary Coldwell and I reside in Chattanooga, Tenn. I was born in Rome, Ga., in 1853. I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my father, William Glover, who was a full-blood Cherokee Indian, and through my mother, Clara Glover, whose maiden name was Clara Cooley, and who was a quarter Cherokee Indian. My father was born in Jasper County, Florida, and my mother was born in the southern part of Alabama. My father was living up to about three years ago, since which time I have heard nothing from him. My mother has been dead about 19 years. My father always told me that he was a full-blood Cherokee Indian. I lived in Rome, Ga. up to about three years ago. My people were recognized as colored and Indian. So far as I know my parents have always been free and never were slaves. My husband is a white man. My great-grandmother on my mother's side was named Mollie Spears. She knows of no enrollment of her parents or grandparents as Indians. I don't remember that my grandmother Spear ever had any brothers or sisters. I don't know anything further about the case.

Test:
May L. Daley

her
(Signed) Mary x Coldwell
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.

Assistant to the Special
Commissioner of the Court
of Claims.

Reject. S.A.F.

No. 2780

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Leitha McCullough* and no children. Residence: *Oatsy, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Nation in 1835-36 + 1846 as recognized members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokee as recognized members of the tribe -

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~~Field~~
~~Hamilton Co~~
No. 20430.
Name. Betta Webb
With No.

Remarks:

Letter July 14/08.

~~Field~~
~~Daisy~~
~~James~~

Notified to appear at
Chambers on June
19, 1908, but did not appear

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 0-750

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

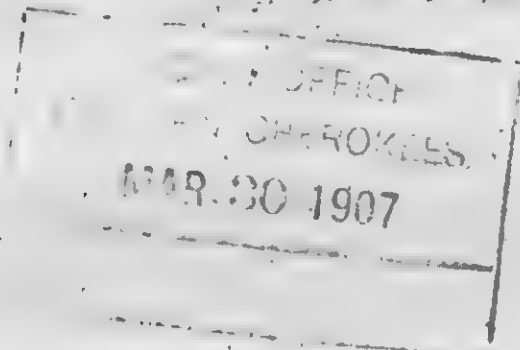
APPLICATION

OF

Leitha McCullough

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 26, 1906.

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T. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Leitha McCallough*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Daisy Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *Daisy*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 3rd 1831 Gwynnett Co. Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *I am a widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William Armstrong*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Betty Ann Armstrong*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Dont Know*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Gwynnett Co. Ga*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Dont Know*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Dont Know* Mother: *Dont Know*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>No Brothers & sisters</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | | MOTHER'S SIDE. | |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know anywhere about my Grandparents*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Don't know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|--|
| (1) | English name: | |
| | Indian name: | |
| | Residence: | |
| (2) | English name: | |
| | Indian name: | |
| | Residence: | |
| (3) | English name: | |
| | Indian name: | |
| | Residence: | |
| (4) | English name: | |
| | Indian name: | |
| | Residence: | |
| (5) | English name: | |
| | Indian name: | |
| | Residence: | |

Have no names or dates

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

All I know about my ancestry is that my mother Betty Ann Armstrong was a half blood Cherokee Indian Always a free woman and I have understood she went west with the Indians

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
Henry Barnes
L. B. Barnes

(Signature.)

Leitcha X. McCullough

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Henry Barnes and Jacob Barnes, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Leitcha McCullough, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Henry Barnes

L. B. Barnes

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#20430.

Office of the Director of the
Bureau of the Census
Washington, D. C.
June 10, 1900.
Dear Sir:
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th inst. in relation to the matter of the Census of 1900. The Bureau is at present engaged in the preparation of the report on the subject of the Census of 1900, and it is hoped that the report will be published in the near future. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours very truly,
John Edgar Hoover,
Director.

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Appln. No. 20430.

March 19, 1908.

Leitha McCullough,
Daisy, Tennessee.

Madam:

Relative to the application you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees you have given us practically no information concerning your ancestry? Unless, therefore, you can furnish additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents, and your grandparents, never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
801 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Appln. No. 20430.

March 19, 1906.

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Daisy, Tennessee.

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State all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller
Special Commissioner,

By *W. L. Crawford*
Chief Clerk

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 14th, 1908.

Application No. 20430.

Leitha McCallough,

Daisy, Tenn.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that

Stanley A. Rountz,

one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Chattanooga, Tenn.

on Friday, June 19th, 1908, at 9 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry of the Clerk, U.S. Court, Post Office Bldg., Chattanooga.

Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

App. No. 20430.

July 16., 1908.

Leith McCullough,

Daisy, Tenn.

Sir:

You were notified to appear to give testimony at Chattanooga, Tennessee, before a representative of this office, but you failed to appear. A letter was sent you some time since requesting additional information in regard to your claim, but no reply has as yet been received. Unless, therefore, you can furnish additional information, as requested below, your claim will be rejected. The additional information required is:

1. Why were you, your parents, or grandparents, never enrolled?
2. Were any of your ancestors slaves?
3. Were any of your ancestors parties to the Treaties of 1835-6 and 1846?
4. State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated, in which please refer to No. 20430.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

App. No. 20430.

July 16, 1908.

Leith McCullough,
Daisy, Tenn.

Sir:

You were notified to appear to give testimony at Chattanooga, Tennessee, before a representative of this office, but you failed to appear. A letter was sent you some time since requesting additional information in regard to your claim, but no reply has as yet been received. Unless, therefore, you can furnish additional information, as requested below, your claim will be rejected. The additional information required is:

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An early reply will be appreciated, in which please refer to No. 20430.

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner.

EST/ELO.

By *J.S.P.*

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Litha McCullough,
Daisy, Tenn.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20430, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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COUNTY OF
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~~Leith McCullough~~

~~Daley, Tony~~

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~~Keith McGullough,~~

~~Daisy,~~

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~~Robert~~

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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For the Macmillan Co.

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Chas. I. B. Jones, Atty.

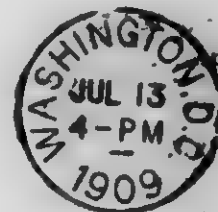
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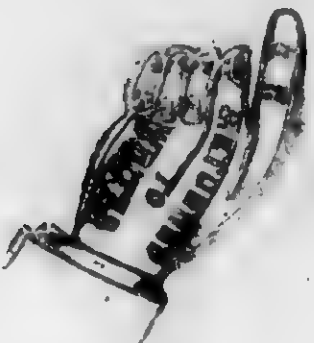
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Chattanooga, Tenn.

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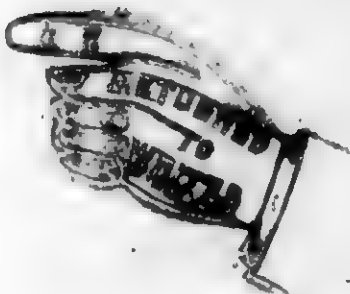
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No. 20431
Name Robert Ridge and no children. Residence: 29 Garfield Ave.
Chattanooga, Tenn.
Action: Rejected
Reasons:

First Cousin once removed of 2/94

No. 20431.

Name Robert Ridge

With No. 2194.

Remarks:

No. 4131

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Robert Ridger

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 29, 1906.

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G. B. JONES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Robert Ridge (Bridge)*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *#29 Rosville Ave Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 28th 1884 Marion Co Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father and Grand father on my fathers side*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William Ridge*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Ellen Ridge*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Ellen Kimberly*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Marion County Tennessee*
Mother: *Sequatchie " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Marion County Tennessee*
Mother: *Sequatchie " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Nov 11. 1893* Mother: *4 1895*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Mallie Ridge</i> | <i>Dec 16 1886</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Bentley</i> | <i>Jan 1889</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| <i>David Ridge</i> | <i>Thomas Bailey</i> |
| <i>Martha</i> | <i>Nancy</i> |

17. Where were they born? *David Ridge Marion County Tenn Martha Ridge in Warren Co. Tenn. I don't know where the Baileys were born*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *All lived in Marion Co. in 1851*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

| | |
|-----|---|
| (1) | English name: <i>Thomas Ridge</i> |
| | Indian name: <i>Died many years ago</i> |
| | Residence: |
| (2) | English name: <i>William Ridge</i> |
| | Indian name: <i>Died in war time</i> |
| | Residence: |
| (3) | English name: <i>John Ridge</i> |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: <i>died about 30 years ago</i> |
| (4) | English name: <i>Paul Ridge</i> |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: <i>Died many years ago</i> |
| (5) | English name: <i>Joran Ridge</i> |
| | Indian name: <i>died 22 years ago</i> |
| | Residence: <i>gave or six girls</i> |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

Loytha Lockhart Res. died. several years ago
William Bailey " in 1903
John " " 3 or 4 years ago
James " " 18

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Robert Ridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Maggie Teague and Deborah Ridge, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Robert Ridge, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Deborah Ridge

Maggie Teague

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Mr. Guson Miller

601 Ouray Building
Washington D.C.

Sir

20431

My Father Robert Ridge sent in his
Application for enrollment in Eastern Cherokee
Other told me that we ought to have blanks for
our children if so send me 5 blanks as there
are 5 set of Grand children of Robert Ridge

Yours Respect

J.H. Ridge

203 Cleveland St

East Nashville, Tenn

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Appln. No. 20431.

March 19, 1908.

Robert Ridge,
29 Rossville Ave.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents, and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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TELEPHONE 2773

Chattanooga, Tenn. *April 9 - 1908*

Mr. Union Miller,
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir, - I received your letter in regard to my Indian claim - in the U.S. Court of Claims - and I wish to say I cannot give any reason why my grandfather did not enroll - He was born on the Indian reservation, in the year of 1833. A.D. and he left there in the year of 1888 - or - My great uncle left with the Indians, when they left this section of the country (His name was Jno-Ridge -) If any of the Ridge's were ever slaves I never heard of it.

We have the proof of our relation to the Cherokee Indians which was made about 20 years ago.

If you have a blank of you will please send me one and I will try and fill it out.

Hoping to hear from you soon
I remain as ever

Sincerely
Robert Ridge.

602-Boyer St.
Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Misc.

L. L. Janeway, witness for Robert Ridge, after being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am 57 years of age; I know the father of Robert Ridge who has been dead about 16 years. I knew him 16 years. He was said to have Cherokee Indian blood in him. He told me his father was part Indian. He was a recognized white man and a voter. Born and raised with white people. Lived in Marion County during the time I knew him. Do not know where his father lived. Never heard him say anything about getting any money from the government from Indian Claims. I do not think he spoke the Indian language. He was a farmer and a miner. I was told by an old man named Gunter, who claimed to be well acquainted with the Indians, that he knew the grandfather of Robert Ridge. I am inclined to think that Thomas Ridge was a half-brother to John Ridge. Gunter was ~~mentioned~~ a white man. He was about 80 years of age. I do not know if he ever received any Indian money. I was not in this country at the time of the enrollment in 1882.

L. L. Janeway

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn., this twenty-second day of June, 1908.

H. H. H.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

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No. 20432.

Name Mary H. yun

Action: Rjst

Reasons:

and X children.

Residence: East. Chatt. Tenn.

Sister of # 20594 and claims through the same source.

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No. 20432 ~~Filed~~
Name Mary ~~Wynn~~ ~~Hamilton Co~~
With No. 20594

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 20433, 20594,
20605, 20595.
Rejct.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 1432

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Lynn

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress, approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. B. JONES.

GRATTANDOGA TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Mary Lymzee Ellis*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Harrison*
3. Town and post office: *East Chattanooga, Harrison, R. F. D. #4*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *1878. Hamilton County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Indian blood through my father S. Houston Ellis*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Fred Lym. 21 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *S. Houston Ellis*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Rachel*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Rachel Lecroy*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Springplace Ga*
Mother: *in State of Tenn*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Hamilton County Tenn*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died May 12, 1901* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) Rachel Ellis | 4 May 1861 | Sep 22 1863 |
| (2) Thomas " | 20 Mch 1858 | Living |
| (3) Sally " | " 1864 | " |
| (4) Nancy " | 1878 | " |
| (5) Robert T. " | 1867 | " |
| (6) Charlotte Emory nee Ellis | 26 " 1862 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|----------------|
| Moses Ellis | Jackson Leeroy |
| Rachel " | Martha " |

17. Where were they born? *Gr. parents on father's side, in Spring place, State of Ga. on mother's side, in Middle Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr. father & mother Ellis lived in Spring place Ga. Gr. father & mother, in McLemore's Cove, Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Washington Ellis*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *in Texas, died in 1888*

(2) English name: *Jesse Ellis*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *in Texas*

(3) English name: *John Ellis*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *died long ago*

(4) English name: *Haley Ellis*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *don't know, think she is dead*

(5) English name: *Mary Ellis*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *don't know*

(6) English name: *Sarah Tracy nee Ellis, resides in Texas*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *don't know*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words “Yes,” “No,” “Unknown,” etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

witnesses

Geo. S. Dineen

(Signature.)

her Mary Lynn

Henry Dineen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Charlotte Emory* and *Nancy Ellis*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Lynn*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *25* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Geo. S. Dineen

Signatures of witnesses.

Charlotte Emory

Henry Dineen

Nancy Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *March*, 190*7*

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Appln. No. 20432.

March 19, 1908.

Mary Lynn,

East Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents, and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

PCE/RLD.

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No. 20433

Action: *Reject*

Name *Thomas Ellis* and *X* children. Residence: *Harrison, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Brother of # 20594 and claims through the same source.

20433

No. 20433

Name Wm. Ellis

With No. 204321

Remarks:

No. 2433

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

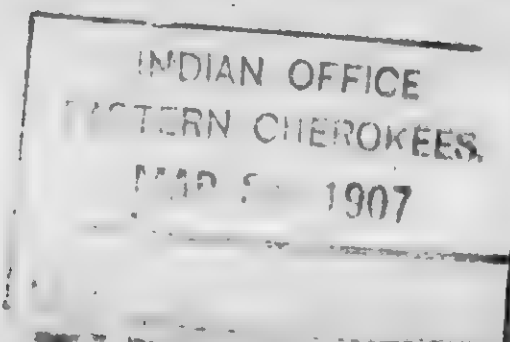
APPLICATION

OF

Thomas Ellis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—
English name: *Thomas Ellis*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Harrison*
3. Town and post office: *Harrison*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *20 March 1858*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim through my father Husey Ellis, for my Cherokee blood*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Sarah Ellis 29 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Husey Ellis*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Frankie* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Frankie Leroy*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *in Springplace Ga*
Mother: *some where in State of Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Hamilton County Tennessee*
Mother: *"*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died May 12, 1901* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| (1) | Mossie Ellis | 25 June 1859 | Sep 19, 1860 |
| (2) | Rachel " | 4 May 1861 | " 22, 1863 |
| (3) | Charlotte " | 26 Mch 1900 | Living |
| (4) | Sally " | 20 " 1864 | " |
| (5) | Maury " | 1873 | " |
| (6) | Mary " | 1878 | " |
| (7) | Robert P " | 1867 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|----------------|
| Moses Ellis | Jackson Leeroy |
| Rachel " | Martha " |

17. Where were they born? *Gr. parents on father's side Spring place Ga*
Gr. parents on mother's side, in Middle Tenn

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr. father & Gr. mother Ellis, in Spring place, Ga*
Gr. father & Gr. mother Leeroy lived in McLeans Cove Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-----|---|
| (1) | English name: <i>Wash Ellis</i> |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: <i>died in 1888</i> |
| (2) | English name: <i>Jesse Ellis</i> |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: <i>in Texas</i> |
| (3) | English name: <i>John Ellis</i> |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: <i>died long ago, dont know date</i> |
| (4) | English name: <i>Haley Ellis</i> |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: <i>dont know</i> |
| (5) | English name: <i>Mary Ellis</i> |
| | Indian name: |
| | Residence: <i>dont know</i> |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses

Don Clark Jr.

(Signature.)

Thomas X Ellis

Geo. S. Duncan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr

1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Don Clark Jr. and Robert T. Ellis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas Ellis, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

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Don Clark Jr.

Henry B. Smith

Thomas X Ellis

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1907

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Appln. No. 20433-20432.

March 12, 1908.

Thomas Ellis,

Harrison, Tennessee.

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Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

WST/EIO.

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No. 20434

Action: defect.

Name *Lou. Sunigood* and *X* children. Residence: *Emory Gap, Tenn.*

Reasons: *Investment in land, have not then given connection with Cherokee tribe,*

20434

Emory Chap Field ?
No. 20434. Roane Co Tenn
Name. Hon. Pricegood
With No.
Remarks:

Examined
Harrison,
June 29, 1868

Awaiting reply to letter.

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No. 20434.

Name. Lou Swicegood

With No.

Remarks:

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Awaiting reply to letter.

Amey Chap. Field ?
No. 20434. Roane Co Tenn

Name Don Pricegood

With No. _____

Remarks:

Examined
Harrison,
June 29/1908

Awaiting reply to letter.

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

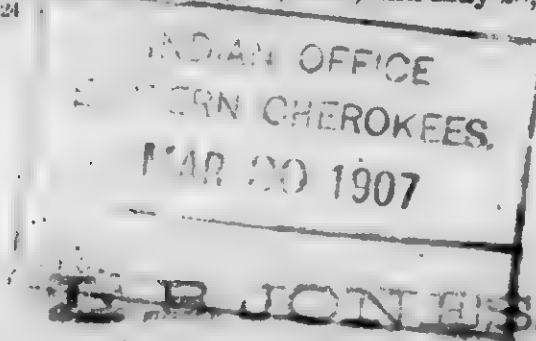
APPLICATION

OF

Lon Swicegood

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—
English name: *Lieu. Swicegood*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Emory Gap Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *Harrodsman R D No 1*
4. County: *Roane*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Feb 8th 1832 Roane Co Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *William Swicegood*
Aged 39 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Richard Mc Saffy*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Mary Mc Saffy*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Mary Nichols*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Roane Co Tennessee*
Mother: *In state of Georgia*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Roane County Tennessee*
Mother: *Not born in 1851*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Aug 12th 1879* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Matilda McCuffy</i> | <i>June 23 1870</i> | <i>Died 18 years ago</i> |
| (2) | <i>Kaucky E</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>Oct 27 1874 died in infancy</i> |
| (3) | <i>Sally E</i> | <i>" 1st 1876</i> | <i>" 4</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| <i>Dont know</i> | <i>Dont know</i> |
| <i>Ceiley McCuffy</i> | <i>"</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Dont know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Dont know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

| | | | |
|-----|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------|
| (1) | English name: <i>Benjamin Mc Duff</i> | Indian name: <i>Died many years ago</i> | Residence: <i></i> |
| (2) | English name: <i>Betsy J. Mc Duff</i> | Indian name: <i>Died many years ago</i> | Residence: <i></i> |
| (3) | English name: <i>Joseph McCuffy</i> | Indian name: <i>Died dont know date</i> | Residence: <i></i> |
| (4) | English name: <i>Henry McCuffy</i> | Indian name: <i>Died about 30 years ago</i> | Residence: <i></i> |

Mother's side

| | | | |
|-----|--|----------------------|--|
| (5) | English name: <i>Alexander Nichols</i> | Indian name: <i></i> | Residence: <i>Kingston Roane Co Tenn</i> |
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20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

Thurny Nicholas Residence Frankburg Morgan Co Tenn
" " Emory Gap Tenn
Catharine Halder " Marshallburg Tenn
John Nicholas Died several years ago

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
William Swicegood
H S Martin
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me William Swicegood and
H S Martin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Luu. Swicegood, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

William Swicegood
H S Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Special Commission of the Court
of Claims

Washington D.C.

In March 1907 I filed my claim
with the Commission at Chattanooga
Tennessee as a participant in the
Eastern Cherokee Claim.

I have never received an acknowl-
edgment of my claim. Please ad-
vise me as to what disposition
was made of it.

Very Respectfully

Mrs. L. L. Swicgood

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Office of the

Director

Department of

State

Washington, D. C.

January 10, 1934.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,

Federal Bureau of Investigation,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of

your letter of January 8, 1934,

concerning

the matter of the

alleged activities of

certain individuals

connected with the

Communist Party of the United States.

I am sorry that I cannot

reply to you more fully at this time.

Very truly yours,

John C. Quinn,

Director.

J. E. H.

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Appln. No. 20434.

March 19, 1908.

Lion Swicegood,

Harriman, Tennessee.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your application cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents, never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Chief Clerk.

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No. 20434.

Lou Swicegood, being duly sworn and examined, deposes
and says:

My name is Lou Swicegood; I was born in Roane Co., Tenn.
1872: I claim my Indian through my father: I make no claim
of Indian blood through my mother: my father was born in Roane
Co., Tenn. 1851: my father got his Indian blood from his mother,
Celia Gallion(or Galyon): I think my grandmother, Celia Galyon,
was born in 1828, but I do not know where she was born: I have
seen my grandmother: neither I nor any of my ancestors through
whom I claim were never enrolled that I know and I never heard
of them receiving any money, land or other benefits that I know of:
I do not know through whom my grandmother, Celia Galyon, claimed
her Indian blood: I can only trace my Indian ancestry to Celia
Galyon: I was about eight years old when my father died:
I do not remember my father very well: my mother told me that
my grandmother, Celia McDuffey, (nee Galyon) was about half Cherokee
Indian: none of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held
as slaves: I and the ancestors through whom I claim my Indian
blood were always regarded in the community in which we lived as
being part Cherokee Indian: my father was always regarded as a
white man and associated with white people: I am regarded as a
white people with an admixture of Cherokee blood: I never heard
of my father or my grandmother through whom I claim having an
Indian name.

Lou Swicegood

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before, at Harriman, Tenn.,
this 25th day of June, 1908.

J. A. B.

Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

*See faint traces
Indian ancestry.*

No. 20435

Action: Rejected

Name: Orlan T. Jeffery and no children. Residence: Hollywood, Mo.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 & 1846 as recognized members of the tribe. Claim not sufficiently established.

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No. 20435

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Delarn Jeffrey

For share of money ~~to be~~ paid for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

D. B. JONES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Delarn D. Jeffery*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Jackson County Ala*
3. Town and post office: *Hollywood*
4. County: *Jackson*
5. State: *Alabama*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 27th 1866 Rhea Co Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Marcha Jeffery*
Aged 30 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Alexander Jeffery*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Margaret A Jeffery*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Margaret A Goins*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Hamilton Co Tennessee*
Mother: *"*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Hamilton County Tennessee*
Mother: *"*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *July 21st 1888*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|------------------|--------------|------------|
| (1) | Elizabeth J Rose | May 24 1864 | 1904 |
| (2) | Sarah A Jeffrey | " " 1864 | 1864 |
| (3) | Margaret Jeffrey | Mar 26 1868 | Don't know |
| (4) | Tharrias A " | July 12 1869 | Living |
| (5) | Stanley J. " | Apr 27 1871 | " |
| (6) | Mary Keiser | Nov 24 1872 | " |
| | James A Jeffrey | Apr 24 1876 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|---------------|
| Don't know | Smith Goins |
| Sarah Jeffrey | Don't know |

17. Where were they born? *Sarah Jeffrey in S.C. Smith Goins in Hamilton County Tenn*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Sarah Jeffrey Hamilton County Tenn Smith Goins was dead*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side (1) English name: *Charles Cokerman (1/2 Uncle)*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Huntsville Ala*

Mother's side (2) English name: *Mary Collins*
Indian name: _____
Residence: *Sh. Ohio Tennessee*

(3) English name: *Elvira Goins*
Indian name: *Died 1848*
Residence: _____

(4) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness
B. L. Pace (Signature.) *Alexander P. Jeffrey*
B. L. Pace
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires
9 Oct, 1907 *E. H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Alexander Jeffrey* and
B. L. Pace, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Alexander P. Jeffrey*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 35 years and 20 years,
respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and
that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

B. L. Pace

Signatures of witnesses.

Alexander P. Jeffrey
B. L. Pace

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of March, 1906.

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9 Oct, 1907 *E. H. Matthews*
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Appln. No. 20435.

March 19, 1908.

D. T. Jeffrey,

Hollywood, Alabama.

Sir:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your application cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves.

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

WST/ELO.

Chief Clerk.

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Appln. No. 41029.

June 4, 1908.

W. R. Hale,

Hollywood, Alabama.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

No. 20435.

Delarn Jeffrey being first duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is Delarn Jeffrey; I live at Hollywood, Ala.; I claim through my mother and her father; mother died in 1881 and was about forty when she died- she was born in Hamilton Co., Tenn. I don't know, I never heard from what part of the country my grandfather Smith Gaines came from; mother was always recognized as a white person where she lived; she was born among the white people and always live with them. Neither mother nor grandfather ever got any money or land and were never enrolled with the Cherokees as I ever heard of. I was living in Tennessee in 1882; I don't know why I was not enrolled with the Cherokees at that time. I only think that I have Cherokee blood because my folks always told me so. I have an Aunt Mollie Collins- my mother's sister- she lives in Chattanooga and has filed an application- I claim through the same line that she does and ask that my case be considered with hers.

Delarn X Jeffrey.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Scottsboro,
Ala. this 1st day of July 1908.

C. H. B.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the U. S. Court of Claims.

No. 20436

Action: Accepted

Name: Charity Johnson and two children. Residence: St. Albans, Tenn.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enslaved.
Applicant was a slave - her letter files
were marked "Ex-A".

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Reject 2
No. 20436
Name. Charity Johnson
With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Slaves
See letter

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 10434

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Charity Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

F. H. JONES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Charity Johnson nee Hanson*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *St Elmo*
3. Town and post office: *St Elmo*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *1837 Wilkes County Ga*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of Cherokee blood through my mother Dafney Hanson*
8. Are you married? *Widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Jerry McLocklin*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Dafney* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Dafney Hanson*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Wilkes County Ga*
Mother: *" "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Wilkes County Ga*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 16 yrs ago* Mother: *died 19 yrs ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Mary Hanson</i> | <i>don't know</i> | <i>1855</i> |
| (2) | <i>Ellie</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Clorie</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>died 40 yrs ago</i> |
| (4) | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>" 15 "</i> |
| (5) | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|---------------------|
| <i>don't know</i> | <i>Peter Hanson</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>Katie</i> |

17. Where were they born? *I don't know any thing about my Gr. parents on my father's side. I don't know where Gr. father Hanson was born. Gr. mother Hanson was born in State of Maryland*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr. mother Hanson lived in Wilkes County Ga. don't know, where Gr. parents on father's side lived*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Peter Hanson*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *died in 1895-*

(2) English name: *Ephraim Hanson*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *died in 1896. Peter & Ephraim were twins*

(3) English name: *Edward Hanson*

Indian name: _____

Residence: *died 30 yrs ago*

(4) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

(5) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses: *Frank Leavenworth* (Signature.) *Charity X Johnson*
Bell Lovington
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires *9 Apr*, 190*7* *E. Matthews*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Aphelia Burr* and *Mary Grace*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Charity Johnson*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *50* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of witnesses.
Frank Leavenworth *Aphelia Burr*
Bell Lovington *Mary Grace*
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires *9 Apr*, 190*7* *E. Matthews*
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Appln. No. 20436.

March 19., 1908.

Charity Johnson,

St. Elmo, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to the application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you have given us practically no information concerning your ancestors. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents, never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State clearly all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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"Ex. A."

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 26 1908
No. 20436.

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St. Johns, Tenn.
March 23, 1888

Dear Sir,

I received your letter and was glad to get the information you gave me.

I gave in the names of my grand parents when I enrolled my name. But since you ask it again I will tell them over.

My grand Father on my Mother's side was named Peter

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was a slave.

The reason I think I am entitled to share in this fund is because I heard that all the Eastern Cherokees were entitled and I am one. So I feel that I am due my share.

Yours respectfully
Charity Johnson.

P.S. We would have been glad to have enrolled before now. But I didn't know anything about it. If I had I would have gladly enrolled long since.

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Hanson. My grand mother on her side was named Katy Hanson.

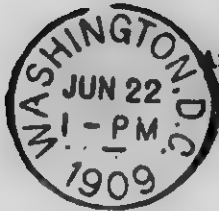
On my Father's side ^{grand father} was named John Wotten.

My grand mother on my Father's side was named Charity Wotten.

The reason we were never enrolled was because we didn't know anything about it. And when my Grand Father left and went to the Indians.

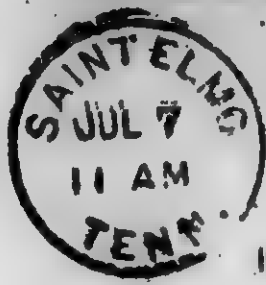
All of them were slaves but my Grand Father. Even I myself.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
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WASHINGTON, D. C.



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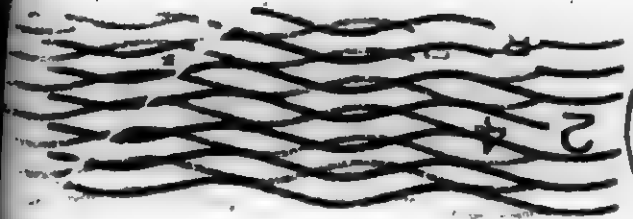


Charity Johnson,

St. Elmo, Tenn.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Charity Johnson,
St. Elmo, Tenn.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20436, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20437

Action: Rejected

Name Henry Cagle and no children.

Residence: Chattanooga, Tenn

Reasons:

Applicant is a brother of 18299.

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No. 20437-38

Name

With No. 18233

Remarks:

Henry Cagle.
Wm. A. "

No. 20437

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Henry Cagle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

I make my claim of Indian blood through my father Peter Cagle

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: _____

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----------------------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) Marion Cagle | don't know | Living |
| (2) Evaline Bates nee Cagle | June 3 1851 | " |
| (3) Rebecca J Miller nee " | 1864 | " |
| (4) William U. " | 13 Febry 1869 | " |
| (5) Nancy True nee " | 23 Aug 1866 | " |
| (6) Jacob C Cagle | 22 Febry 1862 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Jacob Cagle Sr | Thomas Henson |
| Rutha " | Nancy " |

17. Where were they born: Gr. father & Gr. mother Cagle were born in Senior County Tenn. Gr. father & Gr. mother Henson were born in DeKalb Co. Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gr. father & Gr. mother Cagle lived in McMinn Co. Tenn. Gr. father & Gr. mother Henson lived in DeKalb Co. Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Riley Cagle
Indian name: _____

Residence: died in time of Civil war

(2) English name: George Henson
Indian name: _____

Residence: don't know

(3) English name: Nicy Ann Camp nee Henson
Indian name: _____

Residence: died many yrs ago

(4) English name: Peggy Long nee Henson
Indian name: _____

Residence: Walker Co Ga

(5) English name: Rebecca Camp nee Henson
Indian name: _____

Residence: died long ago

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. don't know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words “Yes,” “No,” “Unknown,” etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Henry Cagle*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *John Miller* and *W. U. Cagle*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Henry Cagle*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 25 years and 35 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John Miller
W. U. Cagle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20498

Action: *Repetid*

Name *William M. Cagle* and *no* children. Residence: *Birmingham, Ala.*

Reasons:

Applicant is a brother of 18233 -

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APPLICATION

OR

William H Eagle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: William M. Cagle
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Birmingham
3. Town and post office: #24 East 44th St
4. County: Jefferson
5. State: Alabama
6. Date and place of birth: 13 Feb 1869. Bradley County Tenn
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through my father
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Daisy Cagle. 24 yrs old
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Peter Cagle
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Elizabeth Cagle
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Elizabeth Hanson
11. Where were they born?
Father: Sevier County Tenn
Mother: DeKalb " Ga
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: McMinn County Tenn
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: died 1904 Mother: died 11 or 12 yrs ago

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Marion Cagle</i> | <i>dont know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Evaline Dales Cagle</i> | <i>June 3 1851</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>Harry Cagle</i> | <i>1853</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | <i>John</i> | <i>dont know</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (5) | <i>Rebecca Miller Cagle</i> | <i>1864</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>Jacob C</i> | <i>22 Feb 1862</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (7) | <i>Maury Truere</i> | <i>23 Aug 1866</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Jacob Cagle</i> | <i>Thomas Hanson</i> |
| <i>Rutha</i> | <i>Maury</i> |

17. Where were they born?

Gr father & Gr mother Cagle born in Sevier County Tenn. Gr father & Gr mother Hanson, in DeKalb County Georgia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Gr father & Gr mother Cagle lived in McMinn County Tenn. Gr father & Gr mother Hanson in DeKalb County Ga

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Riley Cagle*

Indian name:

Residence: *died in time of civil war*

(2) English name: *George Hanson*

Indian name:

Residence: *dont know*

(3) English name: *Mary Ann Camp Cagle Hanson*

Indian name:

Residence: *died long ago*

(4) English name: *Peggy Long*

Indian name:

Residence: *Walker County Ga*

(5) English name: *Rebecca Camp Cagle Hanson*

Indian name:

Residence: *died long time ago*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) William U. Cagle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Cagle and

J. W. Miller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

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foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 25 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in him.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

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No. 20439

Name Mary Cox

and X children.

Residence:

Action:

Reject

11 1/2 E. 7 St.

Chattanooga
Tenn

Reasons:

Applicant nor ancestors
were never enrolled.
Ancestors were slaves.
See letter herein marked
"Ex. A."
HCB.

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Reject. 7

No. 20439

Name Mary Cox

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
is no. 20440 - 20439

Reject - Slaves.
See letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 10431

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Cox

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAY 30 1907

INTERNAL USE.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Mary Cox nee Berry*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *117 1/2 E. 7 st*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Apr 9 1880 Lynchburg Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *J. H. Cox. 23 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Nathaniel Berry*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Lucinda Jones nee Berry*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Lucinda Sabaston*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Lynchburg Tenn*
Mother: *Moore County "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Lynchburg Tenn*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 15 yrs ago* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| (1) | Mahala Smith Berry | Dont know | Living |
| (2) | Alice Barten | " | " |
| (3) | James Nelson | " | " |
| (4) | William | " | " |
| (5) | Elizabeth Berry | " | died 15 yrs ago |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Dont know | Moses Kimbrough |
| " | Margaret " |

17. Where were they born? Moore County Tenn

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Moore County Tennessee

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-----|---|
| (1) | English name: <u>John Kimbrough</u> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <u>died about 15 yrs ago</u> |
| (2) | English name: <u>Mary Kimbrough</u> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <u>Dont know</u> |
| (3) | English name: <u>Franklin Kimbrough</u> |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: <u>dont know</u> |
| (4) | English name: _____ |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: _____ |
| (5) | English name: _____ |
| | Indian name: _____ |
| | Residence: _____ |

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Mary Cox*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octo, 190*7*

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Lucinda Jones* and *Ananda Jenkins*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Cox*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *27* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Geo. L. Dorer

Signatures of witnesses

her
Lucinda X Jones
her
Ananda Jenkins
not

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Octo, 190*7*

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20439.

March 19, 1908.

Mary Cox,
11-1/2 E. 7th Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors ever slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

By

Chief Clerk.

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COURT OF CLAIMS.
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 22 1908
No. 20439

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Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ms. Lillian Miller
 from a p.m. no-20439

MAR 21 1908

F.S.

Sir I am your
 notification concerning claims of Charles Smith
 and I understood that you want to know
 about the ancestor and your name
 have involved. My ancestor was Mr. Miller
 Kimbrow. on the other side I have Kimbrow
 the grand mother, my mother says the name was
 sold to me a name. My mother was born
 under Bradley Kimbrow and she was a
 the reason that they were not mentioned
 been an agent and there was no use
 my grandfather was called by a name
 from Mary Cox 112 E 7 St

No. 20440

Action: Reject

Name: Lucinda Jones and 2 children.

Residence: 901 Boyd
Chattanooga
Tenn

Reasons:

Mother of #20439. Claims
through same source.

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No. 20440

Name Lucinda Jones

With No. 20439

Remarks:

No. 20440

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

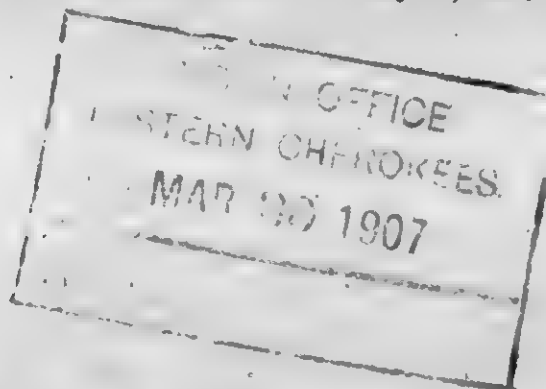
APPLICATION

OF

Lucinda Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. B. JONES

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Lucinda Jones ne Kimbrough*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *City of Chattanooga*
3. Town and post office: *Chattanooga # 901 Boyce*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *1832. Moore County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *David P. Jones, 68 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Moses Kimbrough*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Margaret* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Margaret Sabatash*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Moore County Tenn*
Mother: " " "
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Moore County Tenn*
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died during Civil War* Mother: *died when I was small*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Amanda Keibrough</i> | <i>dont know</i> | <i>died many yrs ago</i> |
| (2) | <i>Frank</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>dont know when he is</i> |
| (3) | <i>Mary</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | <i>John</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>she</i> |
| (5) | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>died 12 yrs ago</i> |
| (6) | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|------------------|------------------|
| <i>Dont know</i> | <i>Dont know</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Dont know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Moore County Tennessee is my information*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Mary Sabaston*
Indian name: *"*
Residence: *died about 20 yrs ago*

(2) English name: *"*
Indian name: *"*
Residence: *"*

(3) English name: *"*
Indian name: *"*
Residence: *"*

(4) English name: *"*
Indian name: *"*
Residence: *"*

(5) English name: *"*
Indian name: *"*
Residence: *"*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
May Cox
J. A. Sanders
(Signature.) Lucinda Jones
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of March, 1907.
My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907
O. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Amanda Jenkins and Mary Cox, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lucinda Jones, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. A. Sanders
Amanda Jenkins
Mary Cox
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of March, 1907.
My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907
O. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

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her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.
Signatures of Witnesses.

Rosie King Quary Avery Cox
J. C. Monapilet
J. C. Woodrich

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1907

W. M. Mathews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907

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No. 20,440

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF
Lucinda Jones
For
Her 2 Sons

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Recd. JUL 1 1907
No.

L. B. JONES.

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CHATTANOOGA

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20,440

1. State your full name: Lucinda Jones for her 2 sons
2. Residence and post office: #901 Boyce st Chattanooga
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: widow Moore Co. Tenn
6. Are you married? widow
7. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>William Nelson</u> | <u>20 yrs</u> | <u>March 2, 1887</u> |
| (2) | <u>James</u> | <u>19 "</u> | <u>Dec 27, 1888</u> |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The above named Children of mine are my first
husbands' children. They live with me, & are in my care
and custody, and are taught by people that don't know
what they say, that there is nothing in this business.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witnesses

Mary Lot (Signature) Lucinda X Jones
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June 1907.

My Commission expires

9 Oct 1907

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mary Cox and Ida Goodrich who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lucinda Jones who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 28 years and 28 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ida Goodrich Mary Cox
J. N. Manapile Ida Goodrich

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of June, 1907.

E. M. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 204410

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

Lucinda Jones
Her 2 sons

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Dec. JUL 1 1907. |
| No. |

I. P. JONES

CHATTANOOGA

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. OCT 9 1909
No. 20220

Wm. L. H.

James C. Gayle
St.

Chatterbox

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I have all your letters
 and will be glad to hear
 from you again. I am
 well and hope you are
 the same. I am
 ever your friend
 and affectionate son
 John

L. Bruce Robinson No. 20441,
minor thro his father & Edm.

Name Allen B. Robinson and children.

Residence:

Action: *Reject*

Ruggold, Ga.

Reasons:

Grand nephew of # 2474

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No. 20441

Name L Bruce Robinson

With No. 20368

Remarks :

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No. 20441

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Allen B. Robinson
for
his minor child L. Bruce

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907
J. B. JONES

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20441

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *L Bruce Robinson minor through his father Allen B Robinson*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Ruggald Ga*
3. Town and post office: *Ruggald Gt F S Mal*
4. County: *Calhoun*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *June 1st 1903*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *No claim through his father, Grand mother and Great Grandfather*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Allen B Robinson*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Rosalind Robinson*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Rosalind Russell*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Ruggald Ga*
Mother: _____
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Not living in 1851*
Mother: *"*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not enrolled

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|-----------------|----------------|--------|
| (1) | Gora L Robinson | Nov 4 1894 | Living |
| (2) | Thomas D | " 20 1895 | " |
| (3) | Gordon A | " July 20 1897 | " |
| (4) | Myrtle I | " May 12 1898 | " |
| (5) | Walter J | " July 10 1901 | " |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Thomas Robinson | G D Russell |
| Louisa Robinson | Victoria Russell |

17. Where were they born? Thomas Robinson Born in Scotland
Louisa Robinson born N.C., others in Ga

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Sant Kuan

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

| | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| (1) English name: | Allen B Robinson |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Aug 9 1894 Ga |
| (2) English name: | Walter Robinson |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | Cattandaga Km |
| (3) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (4) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (5) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. not enrolled

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Allen B. Robinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of March, 1906.

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Rosalind Robinson and James Longworth, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Allen B. Robinson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Rosalind Robertson
James Longworth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of March, 1906

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20442

Action: Rejected

Name: Mary Crockett and no children. Residence: Chattanooga - Tenn.
#6 #13 M. 19" Lt.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled.
Applicant and ancestors were slaves. In latter
titles given marked "Ex. S."

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No. 20442.

Reject

Name Mary Crockett

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Slaves.
See letter

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20442

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Crocket

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 30 1907

J. B. JOHNSON

SEATTLE, WASH.

20442

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Mary Crockett*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tennessee*
3. Town and post office: *X 806 N. 10th St Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *March 26th 1851*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father. Andy Winton*
8. Are you married? *I am widow*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Andy Winton*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Fannie Winton*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Fannie Winton*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Coffee County Tennessee*
Mother: *" " "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Coffee County Tennessee*
Mother: *" " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Don't know* Mother: *Aug 13th 1865*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Sarah Smith</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Lucy Winton</i> | <i>" "</i> | <i>1887</i> |
| (3) | <i>Hatty Winton</i> | <i>" "</i> | <i>died many years ago</i> |
| (4) | <i>Jennie C. Winton</i> | <i>" "</i> | <i>" "</i> |
| (5) | <i>Maney Winton</i> | <i>" "</i> | <i>" "</i> |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|--------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Neil Cunningham</i> | <i>George Winton</i> |
| <i>Esther Cunningham</i> | <i>Agnes Winton</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Coffee County Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Cunninghams in Coffee County Tenn. Agnes Winton same. George Winton died before 1851.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

Father's side

| | |
|--|------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>Ferry Cunningham</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Don't know</i> |
| (2) English name: | <i>Benjamin Cunningham</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Don't know</i> |
| (3) English name: | <i>Matilda Cunningham</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>South Petersburg Tenn</i> |
| (4) English name: | <i>Esther Cunningham</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>Coffee County Tenn</i> |
| <i>Mother's side</i> (5) English name: | <i>Mary Winton</i> |
| Indian name: | <i>Died 19 years ago</i> |
| Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *I don't know*

Violet Hinton. Died. many years ago
Rebecca. " " " "

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses

Geo. L. Hoover

Mary Cox

(Signature.)

Mary Crockett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mary Cox and Lucinda Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Crockett, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Geo. L. Hoover

Signatures of witnesses.

Mary Cox

Lucinda Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15th day of March, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 20442.

March 19, 1908.

Mary Crocket,
806 Fort Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation
in the fund arising from the decree of the Court of Claims
in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state why you,
your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled?
Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to
establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

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13 West 19th St, Tenn.

Ex. A

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAR 26 1908

No. 20442.

Comm. Genl. Miller

Washington D.C.
Dear Sir: In receipt of
your letter of the 17th I
am in better luck
say that myself and
my wife and my children
and my slaves

My children and my slaves
were not in the line
because they did not

before the line was drawn
from born in the line
County Tenn. in 1845
from the line and my children
were full blood
Cherokees.

Mary Crow

No. 20449.

Name

J. H. Cagle

and

2

children.

Action:

Accepted

Reasons:

Residence:

Highland Park Sts.
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Applicant is a brother of 18233-

20449

No.

10443

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Eagle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

No.

T. B. BROWN

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20443

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John Eagle*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Highland Park.*
3. Town and post office: *Highland Park Sta Chattanooga R*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *May 7 1860. Bradley County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim through my father.*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Matthie Eagle 20 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Peter Eagle*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Elizabeth*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Elizabeth Henson*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Sevier County Tenn*
Mother: *DeKalb " Ga*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *McMinn County Tenn*
Mother: *McMinn " "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *died 1904* Mother: *died 11 or 12 yrs ago*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| (1) <i>Marion Cagle</i> | <i>dont know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) <i>Eveline Bales Cagle</i> | <i>June 3, 1851</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) <i>Henry Cagle</i> | <i>1853</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) <i>Rebecca Muller Cagle</i> | <i>1864</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (5) <i>William M Cagle</i> | <i>13 Feby 1869</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) <i>Nancy True Cagle</i> | <i>23 Aug 1866</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (7) <i>Jacob C Cagle</i> | <i>22 Feby 1862</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Jacob Cagle Sr</i> | <i>Thomas Henson</i> |
| <i>Rutha</i> | <i>Nancy</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Gr father & Gr mother Cagle were born in Sevier Co Tenn; Gr father & Gr mother Henson were born in DeKalb County Ga*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Gr father & Gr mother Cagle lived in McMinn County Tenn. Gr father & Gr mother Henson lived in DeKalb County Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *Riley Cagle*
Indian name:
Residence: *died in time of civil war*

(2) English name: *George Henson*
Indian name:
Residence: *dont know*

(3) English name: *Nicy Ann Campree Henson*
Indian name:
Residence: *died many yrs ago*

(4) English name: *Peggy Long Henson*
Indian name:
Residence: *Walker County Ga*

(5) English name: *Rebecca Campree Henson*
Indian name:
Residence: *died long ago*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *dont know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John Eagle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Mich, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

John Miller

and

W. U. Eagle

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *John Eagle*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 25 years and 35 years,

respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and

that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John Miller

W. U. Eagle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Mich, 1907

My commission expires

9 Octr, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Black
G. G. Brown
James Hughes
McArthur Hughes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of June, 1907.

J. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct 1907

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No. 20443

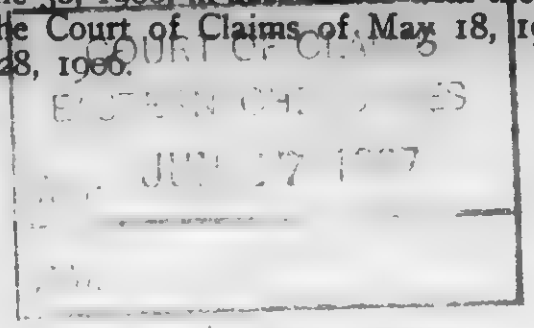
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF
John Eagle
FOR
2 minor children

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



J. H. JONES

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Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 20448.

1. State your full name: John D. Bagle
2. Residence and post office: Highland Park Sta Chattanooga
3. County: Hamilton
4. State: Tennessee
5. Date and place of birth: May 7th 1862. Bradley County Tenn
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mattie Bagle. Aged 21 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary E. Bagle</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>Sept 1890.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Chas. J. " "</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>July 2 1897.</u> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I think not

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

These Children claim through me.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John D. Bagle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10th

day of

June

1907.

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

9 Oct.

1907

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Martha Hughes and Jesse Hughes who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John D. Bagle who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 10 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. G. Ross Martha Hughes
Rev. W. J. Black Jesse Hughes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June, 1907.

W. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires 9 Oct, 1907

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

No. 20443

John D. Bagle
OF
minor children

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

TO THE JUDGE

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COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 19 1910
No. 20443.

SIXTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

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COMMITTEE ON
THE POST-OFFICE AND POST-ROADS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON.

Feb 18/10.

Hon. Union Miller,
Special Commissioner, Nat
Survey Building
City

Dear Sir:

I enclose a letter just received from John T. Bayle, whose post office address is Ridgedale Station, Chattanooga, Tennessee. I will be glad if you will have me advised in the matter.

Very truly yours,

John A. Moon

App. #20445.

February 21, 1910.

Honorable John A. Moon,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 18, 1910, inclosing a communication to you from Mr. John T. Cagle, of Ridgedale, Chattanooga, Tennessee, making inquiry as to the status of his application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

In reply you are advised that on May 28, 1909, in my report to the Court of Claims I recommended that this claim be rejected, and on January 5, 1910, upon the exceptions filed I reported to the Court that my original recommendation rejecting this claim was renewed.

The Court has not yet finally acted upon the exceptions filed to my report but has the same now under consideration.

Mr. Cagle's letter is returned, herewith.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

GM:NLC

1 inclosure.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Sir:

Replying to your request for a blank application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you are advised that under the order of the Court of April 29, 1907, all applications were required to be filed on or before August 31, 1907.

It is therefore now too late to file applications except on behalf of minor children, persons of unsound mind, or persons under some other legal disability.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 20444
Name: James L. Martin and x children. Residence: Chattanooga Tenn
Action: Admit
Reasons:

Claims through father
enrolled as William Mocking
Crow, grandmother Pegg
Mocking-Crow - both enrolled
on Act of Congress roll - Miscel
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1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 10623, 12275
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1661 - 30398
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.

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James G. Huntley

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1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Treasury Warrant No. 10623, 12275
each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 1661 - 30398
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said
Court March 15, 1910.
James G. Martin

No. *20444* *Field*
Hamilton Co
Name *James G. Martin*
With No. *Perm*

Remarks: *Grouped herewith*
are nos 21880, 21884.

Call this case to the
personal attention of
the Commissioner.
F.S.P.

[Signature]

Awaiting reply to letter.



No. 1111

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

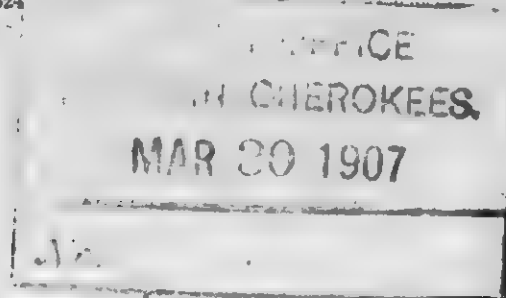
APPLICATION

OF

James G. Martin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. B. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *James G Martin*
Indian name:
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *Cor 6th Cross Sts Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Aug 14th 1861 Tusculum Ala*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my father*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Emma L Martin*
Aged 40 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *William J Martin*
Indian name:
Mother—English name: *Allie Martin*
Indian name:
Maiden name: *Allie Will*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Hamilton County Tennessee*
Mother: *Calbert County Ala*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Hamilton County Tennessee*
Mother: *Tusculum Alabama*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Dec 14th 1873* Mother: *Nov 12th 1899*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Laura Cooper</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>Elizabeth Goyer</i> | <i>Mar 29 1868</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>William M. Martin</i> | <i>Aug 14 1866</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|--------------|--|---------------------|
| English Name | <i>Martin</i> | <i>John D. Hill</i> |
| Indian Name | <i>Mocking Crow</i>
<i>Peggy Martin</i> | <i>Don't know</i> |

17. Where were they born? *I do not know where any of my Grandparents were born*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grand father Martin was dead. Grand mother Martin was living in Madison County Tenn. The Hills in Tusculum Ala*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>None</i> | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | | |
| (2) English name: | <i>Samuel Hill</i> | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | <i>Calhoun Co Ala</i> | |
| (3) English name: | <i>James G Hill</i> | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | <i>Tusculum Ala</i> | |
| (4) English name: | | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | | |
| (5) English name: | | |
| Indian name: | | |
| Residence: | | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

My Grandfather Martin, whose Indian name was Mocking Crow, was said to be a full blood Cherokee Indian, and is supposed to have been killed in a steamboat explosion in Tennessee River below Chattanooga Tenn when the Indians were being removed to the west

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *James H. Martin*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *H. J. Green* and *A. T. Penpaw*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *James H. Martin*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 16 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

H. J. Green
A. T. Penpaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. Matthews

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 19 1909

No.

Rhea Springs Hotel Co.

Owens of the Celebrated
Rhea Springs Water
Railway, Express and Telegraph Office: Spring City, Tenn.
POST OFFICE ADDRESS

~~Rhea Springs, Tenn.~~ 19
Chattanooga, Tenn. July 16, 1909.

Mr. Guion Miller,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 10th notifying me that my number was 1661 on the roll of May 28, 1906 received for which accept thanks. I have been advised that I should have put in claim for my three children. Is that correct? If so, will you please advise me how to put in their claims.

Thanking you now for an early reply, I am,

Very truly yours,

Amos F. Martin

Corner 6th & Cross St.

2044

No. 20444.

James G. Martin, being first duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is James G. Martin and I reside in Chattanooga,
Tennessee. I was born in Tusculum, Alabama, August 14th, 1861.
I claim through my father, William J. Martin, and my grandfather,
Mocking-crow. My brother is also a claimant, No. 21880, name
William W. Martin, and my sister is also a claimant No. 21884,
name Laura A. Cooper.

(Signed) James G. Martin.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.

Assistant to the Special
Commissioner of the
Court of Claims.

Parties grandparents, namely, Peggy and William Mocking-crow,
~~is~~ are in act of congress list. Claim is O.K.

S.A.F.

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No. 20444.

James G. Martin, being first duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is James G. Martin and I reside in Chattanooga,
Tennessee. I was born in Tusculumbia, Alabama, August 14th, 1861.
I claim through my father, William J. Martin, and my grandfather,
Mocking-crow. My brother is also a claimant, No. 21880, name
William W. Martin, and my sister is also a claimant No. 21884,
name Laura A. Cooper.

(Signed) James G. Martin.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga,
Tenn., this 19th day of June, 1908.

Assistant to the Special
Commissioner of the
Court of Claims.

Parties grandparents, namely, Peggy and William Mocking-crow,
~~is~~ are in act of congress list. Claim is O.K.

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Appln. No. 20444.

March 19, 1900.

James G. Martin,
Cor/ 5th & Grand Sts.,
Nashville, Tenn.

Sir:

The application you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the Decree of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents, and your grandparents never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Pr

Chief Clerk.

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App. No. 20444.

July 21, 1909.

James G. Martin,
Corner 6th & Cross Street,
Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of July 16, 1909, you are advised that your minor children were not enrolled with you for the reason that you did not name them in your application.

The matter is now out of my hands, but if you wish to take any action in the matter you will have to file exceptions to my report to the Court of Claims before August 30, 1909. The inclosed circular letter will furnish you with the information necessary to file exceptions.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 20446

Action: Rejected

Name: Susan J. Kirk and no children. Residence: Chattanooga Tenn
500 Cumberland st.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors, were never enrolled -
Applicant and her mother were slaves - see
letter filed herein, marked "Ex 54."

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No. 20 443:

Reject 2

Name

Lucas J. Kirk

With No.

Remarks:

Reject - Slaves
See letter

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 20445

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

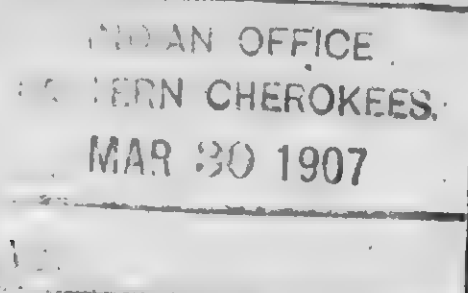
APPLICATION

OF

Susan Kirk

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



T. P. JONES

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.

20445

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Susan J. Kirk*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Chattanooga Tenn*
3. Town and post office: *300 Cumberland St Chattanooga*
4. County: *Hamilton*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *1847 Curatuck Co NC*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Garvin C Kirk*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Ozekiah Piner*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Fannie Piner*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Tennie Echorage*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Currituck Co NC*
Mother: *" "*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Pasquotank Co NC*
Mother: *" "*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Don't know* Mother: *Don't know*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|----------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Clora Holland</i> | <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Jeffrey Church</i> |
| <i>Don't know</i> | <i>Clora</i> |

17. Where were they born? *Don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Dead in 1851*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| (1) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (2) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (3) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (4) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (5) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |

*I know nothing of my
Uncles or Aunts*

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

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DEPT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Chuttamra J. J. J.
Apr. 28, 1908

Sir:-
I am very sorry that
I am giving you so much
trouble. I thought you
under stood me. My
mother ~~was born~~ with
belong to white people
and I was born with the
white people my mother
belong to. I am still you
all the white people I
belong to. I belong to so
many and I had to go to
the name. they sold
my mother and father. If.

from me when I was a
little girl, and when I
grew up they sold me to a
woman by the name of
Julia Bradford. And she was a white
woman and when the
Emancipation came
along I was turned off
with nothing, not even
a piece of bread.
I didn't know that any
white people had Indian
blood in them
until these late years
if they did I didn't
own it.

yours truly

Susan Kirk
300 Cumberland St.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 3 1909
No. 20440-

is in Kerruck County in N.C.
and my people are all dead
and I can't give you any
information at all.

But if you see fit to give me
any thing it will ~~be~~ cordial
& kindly accepted for I sure
need any amount.

Very Rec.

Mrs. S. J. Kirk.

300 Cumberland St
Chatt Tenn

Chattanooga Tenn
June 30, 1909

Dear Sir:--
in reply to your letter, I
have written you what my
mother & father name was.
My Grandmother name was
Clola & my Grandfather name
was Jeffries Church. & for an
affidavit I can't give you one
for I am in Tenn. & my home

is in Kerrick County in N.C.
And my people are all dead
And I can't give you any
information at all.

But if you see fit to give me
any thing it will be cordial
& kindly accepted for I sure
need any amount.

Very Rec.

Mrs. J. F. Kirk.

300 Cumberland St.
Chatt Tenn.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. APR 11 1908
No. 20443

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apr. 8 1908.

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Dear Sir:-

I don't know anything more about more about the Cherokee Indians than what my mother sister my Aunt told me I don't know whether my Grandmother was or are are not but my Aunt told me that my Grandmother children was sold for debts before I was born. My Grandmother name was Elidia My Grandfather Name was Church the reason ^{Jeffery} Elidia's name was because I didn't want to get it until I seen the issue in the Chattanooga

times The reason I
think I am entitle to a
pension was be cause the
paper said that any one
that had Indian blood
in there veins and was a
slave should receive a
pension and I think I should
receive it my aunt is dead

Very respectfully

Sammy Kirk

300 Cumberland St

Chattanooga
Tenn

#20445

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7.5.7.

Appln. No. 20445.

March 12, 1908.

Susan J. Kirk,
300 Cumberland Street,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Madam:

The application which you have filed for participation in the fund arising from the decrees of the Court of Claims in favor of the Western Cherokees contains practically no information concerning your ancestry. Unless, therefore, you can furnish us with additional information your claim cannot be further considered. The additional information required is:

1. The names of your grandparents on both sides?
2. Why were you, your parents and your grandparents, never enrolled?
3. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

State all your reasons for thinking that you are entitled to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

By

Chief Clerk.

WET/HO.

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W.
C.

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Appln. No. 20445.

April 13, 1908.

Susan J. Kirk,

300 Cumberland Street,

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Your letter of the 8th instant received. In reply thereto I would say that you do not state whether you were a slave. Please state whether you were a slave, and if so, were you owned by white people or Indians?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WAC/EJO.

#30445

OK

No. 20446.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Pearl C. Reed* and *X* children. Residence: *Afferson, Tenn.*

Reasons:

See application of father # 20660.

20446

No. 2446
Name Joseph H. Reed
With No. 20348
Remarks:

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See

20447.

No. 141

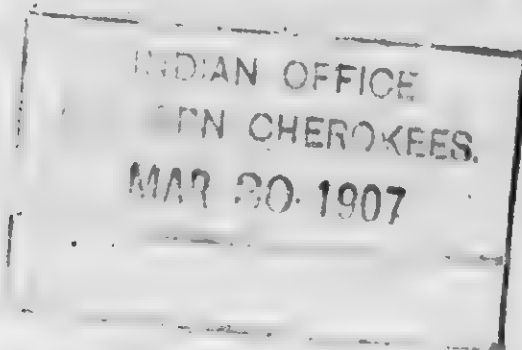
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Joseph Reed
From
his minor child Pearl

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. E. JONES

CHATTANOOGA TENN

20442

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Joseph H Reed for his minor child*
Indian name: *Pearl C. Reed*
2. Residence: *Upperson*
3. Town and post office: *"*
4. County: *H James*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 13. 1850. Ala*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make this claim for my minor child Pearl C. who is a minor under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody, and claim its indian blood through her father*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Amanda Reed. 53 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Joseph H Reed*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Amanda Reed*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Amanda White*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cedarbluff Ala*
Mother: *Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *in state of Ala*
Mother: *in " Tenn*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Mary L. Seimms Reed</i> | <i>Aug 2, 1873</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (2) | <i>William M</i> | <i>Jan 7, 1876</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (3) | <i>James S</i> | <i>Jan 7, 1879</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (4) | <i>Robert A</i> | <i>Aug 7, 1881</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (5) | <i>John H</i> | <i>Oct 12, 1884</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (6) | <i>Henry L</i> | <i>Sep 12, 1890</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (7) | <i>Joseph A</i> | <i>July 25, 1894</i> | <i>"</i> |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>McKenzie Reed</i> | <i>Louis L. White</i> |
| <i>Nancy A</i> | <i>Mahala A</i> |

17. Where were they born? *McKenzie Reed in Knox Co. Tenn*
Nancy A Reed in Sevier Co. Tenn. Lewis White born in S.C. Mahala White don't know where
18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *McKenzie and Nancy A Reed lived in Murray Co. Ga. and the Whites also lived in Murray Co. Ga.*
19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *William E Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *East Chattanooga Tenn*

(2) English name: *Mary Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *died about 20 yrs ago*

(3) English name: *Robert M Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *don't know*

(4) English name: *Lucindy Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 1903*

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Joseph H Reed*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *Mar*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

J H Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *A E Pooler* and

Robert Reed

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Joseph H Reed*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *17* years and *20* years,

respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and

that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses:

A E Pooler

Robert Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *Mar*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Oct, 190*7*

J H Matthews

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 20447.
Name: Verny L. Reed and X children. Residence: Apperson, Tenn.
Action: Reject
Reasons:

See application of father # 20660.

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No. 20447-20450

Name

With No. 20348

Remarks:

Joseph H. Reed
John H. Reed
Wm A Reed
Robert A Reed

No. 1011

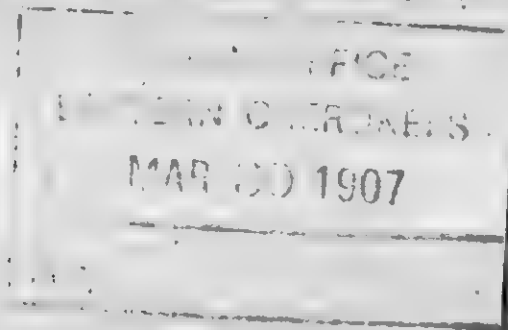
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Joseph H. Reed
for
his minor child Verna L.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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E. P. JOHNSON

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Joseph H. Reed for his minor child*
Indian name: *Verny L. Reed*
2. Residence: *Apperson*
3. Town and post office: *"*
4. County: *James*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 13, 1850 Ala*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately *I make this claim for my minor child Verny L. she being under 21 yrs old, and in my care and custody claiming indian blood through her father*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband *Amanda Reed 53 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Joseph H. Reed*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Amanda* "
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Amanda White*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cedar bluff Ala*
Mother: *Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *in State of Ala*
Mother: *" " " Tenn*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|-----------------------------|--------------|--------|
| (1) | Mary Leimms ^{Reed} | Aug 2, 1873 | Living |
| (2) | William M | June 7, 1876 | " |
| (3) | James S | Jan 7, 1879 | " |
| (4) | Robert A | Aug 7, 1881 | " |
| (5) | John H | Oct 12, 1884 | " |
| (6) | Joseph A | Sep 12, 1890 | " |
| (7) | Pearl C | Nov 24, 1897 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|---------------|
| McKenzie Reed | Lewis White |
| Nancy A | Mahala |

17. Where were they born? *McKenzie Reed in Knox Co. Tenn*
Nancy A Reed in Sevier Co Tenn. Lewis White in S.C.
Don't know where Mahala White was born

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Reeds lived in Maury Co Ga. and the Whites also lived in said Co.*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living, if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | | | |
|-----|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: William E Reed | Indian name: | Residence: East Chattanooga Tenn |
| (2) | English name: Mary Reed | Indian name: | Residence: died 26 yrs ago |
| (3) | English name: Robert M Reed | Indian name: | Residence: don't know |
| (4) | English name: Lizabeth Reed | Indian name: | Residence: died 1903 |
| (5) | English name: | Indian name: | Residence: |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Don't know*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Joseph H Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

O E Poller

and

Robert Reed

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with *Joseph H Reed*, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 17 years and 20 years,

respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and

that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

O E Poller

Robert Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

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No. 20448.

Action:

Reject.

Name

John H. Reed

and

X

children.

Residence:

Afferson, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20348.

20448

No. 20448

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John H. Reed

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1885, and May 28, 1900.

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INDIAN OFFICE

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

MAR 30 1907

J. B. JONES

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *John H Reed*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Apperson*
3. Town and post office: *Apperson*
4. County: *James*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Oct 12, 1884. James County Tenn*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately. *I make this claim through my father Joseph H Reed for my indian blood*
8. Are you married? *Yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Flora Reed. 18 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Joseph H Reed*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Amanda Reed*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Amanda White*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cedarbluff Ala*
Mother: *in Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *in State of Ala*
Mother: *in Tenn*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|----------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) | William M Reed | June 7, 1876 | Living |
| (2) | James S " | Jan 7, 1879 | " |
| (3) | Robert A " | Aug 7, 1881 | " |
| (4) | Joseph A " | Oct 12, 1884 | " |
| (5) | Pearl C " | Feb 24, 1897 | " |
| (6) | Verny L " | Sept 12, 1890 | " |
| (7) | Mary L Simmons | Aug 2, 1873 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---------------|---------------|
| McKenzie Reed | Lewis White |
| Nancy A " | Mahala " |

17. Where were they born? McKenzie Reed in Knox Co Tenn, Nancy A Reed
Singer Co Tenn. Lewis White in S C. dont know where Mahala
White was born

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The Reeds lived in
Murray Co Ga and the Lewis family also

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| (1) English name: | William E Reed |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | East Chattanooga |
| (2) English name: | Mary Reed |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | died 20 yrs ago |
| (3) English name: | Robert Reed |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | dont know |
| (4) English name: | Lucindy Reed |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | died 1903 |
| (5) English name: | |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: I dont know

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

John H. Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. E. Pooler

and

Geo. W. Munga

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

say that they are well acquainted with John H. Reed, who makes the

foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 17 years and 22 years,

respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and

that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and

they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Robert Reed

Joseph Reed

Signatures of witnesses.

A. E. Pooler

Geo. W. Munga

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Nov, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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No. 20449.

Action:

Reject

Name William M. Reed and X children. Residence: Apperson, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 20348.

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No. 20430

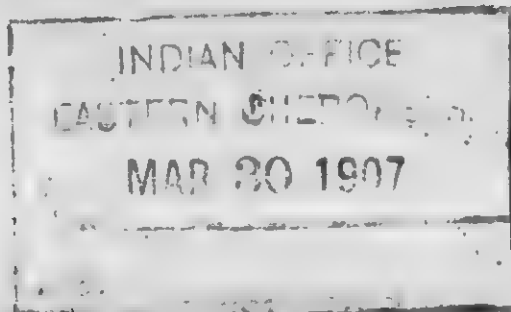
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION
OF

William A Reed

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *William M. Reed*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Apperson*
3. Town and post office: *Apperson*
4. County: *James*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 13, 1850 Ala*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of indian blood through my father Joseph H Reed.*
8. Are you married? *No*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Joseph H Reed*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Ancanda Reed*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Ancanda White*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cedar bluff Ala*
Mother: *in Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *in State of Ala*
Mother: *" " " Tenn*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I dont know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------------------------|----------------------|------|
| (1) | <i>Mary L. Simms & Reed</i> | <i>Aug. 7, 1873</i> | |
| (2) | <i>James S. Reed</i> | <i>June 7, 1879</i> | |
| (3) | <i>Robert A. "</i> | <i>Aug. 7, 1881</i> | |
| (4) | <i>John H. "</i> | <i>Oct. 12, 1884</i> | |
| (5) | <i>Wm. L. "</i> | <i>Sep. 12, 1890</i> | |
| (6) | <i>Joseph A. "</i> | <i>July 25, 1894</i> | |
| (7) | <i>Pearl C. "</i> | <i>Mar. 24, 1897</i> | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| <i>McKenzie Reed</i> | <i>Lewis White</i> |
| <i>Nancy A. "</i> | <i>Mahala "</i> |

17. Where were they born? *McKenzie Reed in Knox Co. Tenn*
Nancy A. Reed in Sevier Co. Tenn. Lewis White in S.C.
don't where Mahala White was born

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *They all lived in Murray County Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-------------------|------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | <i>William E. Reed</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>East Chattanooga Tenn</i> |
| (2) English name: | <i>Mary Reed</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>died 20 yrs ago</i> |
| (3) English name: | <i>Robert M. Reed</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | <i>don't know</i> |
| (4) English name: | <i>Lucindy Reed</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |
| (5) English name: | <i>died in 1903</i> |
| Indian name: | |
| Residence: | |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, *I dont know*

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REMARKS.

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses
Robert Reed
Joseph Reed

(Signature.)

his
William M Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *March*, 190*7*

My commission expires

9 Apr, 190*7*

W H Matthews
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Joseph M Reed* and *Robert Reed*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *John William Reed*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for *30* years and *15* years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J H Reed

Robert Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *March*, 190*7*

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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East Chattanooga, Tenn. Oct 23/17

Hon Guion Miller Spl Commr &c.

Dear Sir:

I and my family filed several claims for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, and have received cards, acknowledging receipt of applications &c. The no. of my card is 20,449. I don't want to be troublesome, but there are so many waiting to hear something from their claims, that I concluded to ask you a few questions relative to them.

When do you think you will be ready to make the distribution of the money?
and how will it be paid out?

Yours Truly
William C. Reed
#604 Glass St East Chattanooga
Tenn

No. 20450
Name Robert A. Rud and X children. Action: Rejct
Residence: Afferson, Tenn.
Reasons:

Claims through same source as #20348.

No. 10100

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

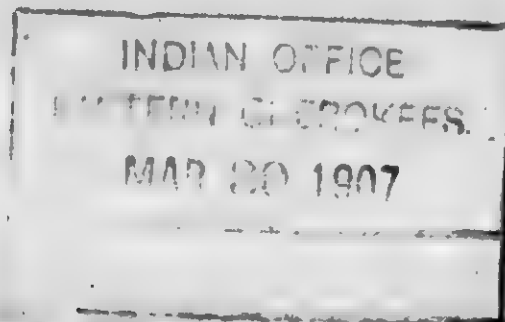
APPLICATION

OF

Robert A Reed

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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20450

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Robert A Reed*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: *Apperson*
3. Town and post office: *Apperson*
4. County: *James*
5. State: *Tennessee*
6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 13, 1850 Ala*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I make my claim of indian blood through my father Joseph A Reed*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Cora Reed 16 yrs old*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Joseph A Reed*
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: *Amanda Reed*
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: *Amanda White*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *Cedar bluff Ala*
Mother: *in Tennessee*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *in State of Ala*
Mother: *" " " Tenn*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I don't know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) | Mary L. Simms <i>Reed</i> | Aug 2, 1873 | Living |
| (2) | James S. Reed | Jan 7, 1879 | " |
| (3) | John H. " | Oct 13, 1884 | " |
| (4) | Verny L. " | Sep 12, 1890 | " |
| (5) | Joseph A. " | July 25, 1894 | " |
| (6) | Pearl C. " | Mich 24, 1897 | " |
| (7) | William M. " | June 7, 1876 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE
McKenzie Reed
Nancy A. "

MOTHER'S SIDE
Lewis White
Mahala "

17. Where were they born? *McKenzie Reed in Knox Co-Tenn. Nancy A Reed in Sevier Co-Tenn. Lewis White in S.C. don't know where Mahala white was born*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *The Reeds and Lewis's All lived in Murray Co-Ga*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *William E Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *East Chattanooga Tenn*

(2) English name: *Mary Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *died 20 yrs ago*

(3) English name: *Robert M Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *don't know*

(4) English name: *Lucindy Reed*

Indian name:

Residence: *died in 1903*

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Robert A. Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Mich, 1907

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

W. Matthews

Notary Public.

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Witnesses to mark.

A. E. Pooler
W. D. Gibson

Signatures of witnesses

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